TODAY'S WEATHER
PARTLY CLOUDY WITH LIGHT VARIABLE WINDS.

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FINANCIAL.

Eastern stock market advanced in the face of high money rates. November bank exchanges the smallest for any month this year. Grain markets closed higher in Chicago.—Pages 12 and 13.

THE WEATHER

Snow or rain.

Partly cloudy conditions today, with snow or rain, and light variable winds for tomorrow is the Washington forecast for Pittsburgh and vicinity. Yesterday's maximum temperature was 27 and the minimum 24. The sun rose cloudy at 7:03 and set cloudy at 4:34 yesterday. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	29.92	25	75	N. W.	Snow
8 p. m.	30.12	26	75	W.	Snow

Comparative temperature and precipitation for November 30:

	1902	1901		1902	1901
Maximum	42	40	Mean	33	37
Minimum	24	34	Precipitation	.14	.30

Max. tem., 11 am.	27	Exc. since Jan. 1	253
Min. tem., 9 am.	24	Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.09
Mean temperature	26	Precip. for day	T
Nor. tem. 31 yrs.	35	Dfcy. for day	.09
Dfcy., for day	9	Exc. since Nov. 1	.11
Dfcy. since Nov. 1	90	Exc. since Jan. 1	3.46

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Partly cloudy Tuesday; snow or rain Wednesday; light variable winds, shifting to fresh east.

Ohio—Partly cloudy Tuesday, snow or rain and warmer Wednesday; light variable winds shifting to east and northeast.

West Virginia—Partly cloudy Tuesday; rain or snow Wednesday.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 o'clock last night:

Chicago	26	Clear	Indianapolis	28	Clear
Cincinnati	28	Cloudy	Washington	30	Clear
Cairo	32	Cloudy	Kansas City	26	Clear
St. Louis	28	Cloudy	Huron	18	Clear
El Paso	38	Clear	New Orleans	50	Clear
Omaha	26	Snow	Philadelphia	32	Clear
Des Moines	24	Cloudy	New York	30	Clear
Louisville	32	Cloudy	Buffalo	30	Cloudy
St. Paul	18	Snow	Cleveland	26	Cloudy
Duluth	14	Clear	Denver	50	P'Cldy
Bismarck	14	Clear	Salt L. City	38	Clear

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

ALVIN—"A Country Girl," 8:15 p. m.

NEW GRAND—New stock company in "The Cowboy and the Lady," 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE—Vaudeville bill, headed by Shean and Warren, 2 and 8 p. m.

AVENUE—15 vaudeville acts, including the Padettes; continuous performance, 1:30 to 10:30 p. m.

EMPIRE—"The Pride of Jennico," 8:15 p. m.

BIJOU—"For Her Children's Sake," 8 p. m.

ACADEMY—"Merry Maidens" Burlesquers, 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—Skating, afternoon and evening; hockey tonight, P. A. C. vs. Bankers.

PITTSBURGH CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—302d reception of the Art society; Bogea Oumiroff, baritone, and Mary Hallock, pianist, 8:15 p. m.

CARNEGIE INSTITUTE ART GALLERIES—Eighth annual exhibition of paintings, 9 a. m. to 10 p. m.

BEAUPRE'S LIFE WAS IN DANGER

Colombians Discussed Advisability of Killing American Minister.

WILL INVADE PANAMA

Disgrunted Politicians at Bogota Planning an Assault Upon New Republic.

REYES' MISSION A FAILURE

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

Colon, Nov. 30.—Luis Deroux, who was a member of the Colombian house of representatives from Panama, who made a speech in the house October 2 warning Colombia to sign the Hay-Herran canal treaty immediately or she would lose the isthmus, has arrived here from Bogota. Senor Deroux is a Panamanian, and owing to his well-known political connections he was subjected to affronts at Bogota and on the Magdalen, where, at one place on the passage down, a number of Colombians threatened to board the steamer and molest him. Trouble was averted by the captain cutting the vessel's moorings and dropping down stream. At Bogota efforts were made to have Senor Deroux join the commission to the isthmus but Deroux declined. When Deroux left Bogota the United States legation was guarded continually by 50 soldiers armed with rifles. Minister Beaupre mentioned that possibly he would come down the river, but apparently he has not decided to do so.

A governmental consulting committee has been formed at Bogota. It is composed of Liberals, Conservatives and Nationalists. According to good authority, at one meeting of the committee the statement was made that Mr. Beaupre must be killed whether the United States destroyed Cartagena or not in retaliation. Wiser councils, however, prevailed.

Their Plan of Campaign.

Bogota and the entire country is waiting to hear from General Reyes, whose grant of full presidential powers has been confirmed. Colombia possesses a great number of good rifles, some artillery and an ample supply of ammunition. Quantities of ammunition have recently been moved in ox-carts from Honda, 65 miles from Bogota, on the Magdalena river, to Bogota.

Colombia still hopes that Reyes will effect a settlement at Washington. Failing this, the Colombians, it is believed, will undoubtedly advance on the isthmus, sending troops in small parties of 200 to 300 along both coasts sufficiently inland to keep their movements secret and on arriving on the borders of Panama they will, it is said, begin a guerilla warfare, pillaging and burning. They may also, it is alleged, attempt to transport troops by sea, in small schooners and other such craft, between unimportant and little known ports, hoping to avoid the American gunboats, and thus helping in the general movement towards Panama or possibly landing troops in the Chiriqui district. The Colombians think they can carry out such a movement without the knowledge of the Americans, and believe their soldiers inured to the hardships of campaigning and living on the country without commissariat can reach the borders of Panama overland.

Colombia Has Advantages.

Colombia can move troops without money, because she can send them into the field without a hospital corps, without a commissary department, without means of transportation and without pay. Notwithstanding the Colombian government's assurances all the political parties have not rallied to the support of the government. Political dissensions are growing more marked. The Liberal revolutionary element particularly is showing signs of increasing discontent throughout the entire country and a recurrence of the recent revolt at any time within the next year is fully expected.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Failure seems to threaten the mission of Gen. Rafael Reyes, Colombia's special envoy to the United States. Unless he is willing to accept the good offices of the United States to effect a peaceful settlement between Colombia and the new republic of Panama, Gen. Reyes will be informed when he calls upon Secretary Hay that the Washington government can not consider any proposals at his hands. He has had little encouragement from Latin-American diplomats and the third day of his visit here finds him with no definite program as to his course.

Proposal Not Popular.

His personal opinion in favor of Colombia giving the United States canal concessions free of cost provided the United States will agree not to interfere with the Bogota government's efforts to retake Panama has not met with favor at the Colombian legation. Indeed Dr. Herran denies that such a proposition has ever been under consideration by Colombia.

Baron von Dem Bussche-Haddenhausen, first secretary of the German embassy and charge d'affaires, today addressed a note to M. Bunau Varilla, the minister from Panama, informing him that the German government, having received his notification of the creation of the new republic and his formal assurance that Panama would execute all obligations contained in the treaties between Germany and Colombia so far as they affected territory over which Panama is now sovereign, his majesty extended full recognition to the new republic and best wishes for its prosperity and long life.

Receiver for Shipyards Company.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Henry E. Ide was today appointed receiver for the Townsend & Downey Shipbuilding Co. The firm is capitalized at $3,500,000 and suspended because its credits were impaired by the revelations in the United States Shipbuilding receiver case. The creditors are anxious to have the company reorganize and get on its feet again.

FEVER VICTIMS IN GREAT NEED

Much Money Necessary for Care of Patients at Butler.

CASES DEVELOP FAST

Scourge Is Increasing at a Terrifying Rate—Assistance Is Offered.

TWO MORE DEATHS OCCUR

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Butler, Pa., Nov. 30.—It is estimated that from $20,000 to $30,000 will be needed by the relief commission of Butler to care for the victims of the typhoid fever epidemic. The worst feature of the scourge is the rapid and terrifying rate in which new cases appear, and with over 1,500 cases on hand and others being reported faster than physicians can attend to them, the outlook tonight is gloomy and discouraging.

Diphtheria and pneumonia are adding to the terrors of the pestilence. In hundreds of homes the bread-winners are the victims, and the source of family income is cut off, while the expense of sickness is added to that of living. Many local persons who criticised the first call for aid as unnecessary had little idea of the distressing conditions existing among their neighbors.

The total fund subscribed exceeds $10,000, while the amount of cash in hand is about $3,000. Additional subscriptions were arriving through the day and nurses from Pittsburgh and surrounding towns came on every train. All the emergency hospitals are filled and two additional buildings have been fitted up for the care of victims.

Two More Deaths.

Two deaths occurred from fever today. The great number of patients have not reached the critical stage of the disease and the results are fearful to contemplate. Life insurance companies that have risks in Butler are alarmed and several large companies have ordered an investigation and a report of the conditions.

Today's fatalities were James L. Kissinger, a railroad engineer of Maple avenue, who had been ill but a few days, and Clarence Bealemer, a traveling salesman of Baltimore, who died in his lodging house. His father is on his way to Butler tonight to take charge of the body.

Twenty new cases developed today and the physicians cannot answer all their calls. In the Deimling family in Bluff street, and in the family of Robert Thompson in First street there are six members in each stricken by the disease.

A meeting of the general committee and of the executive committee was held this evening. It was reported that relief furnished is generally in the form of orders for groceries, medicines and other necessaries. Where nurses and paid help are needed they are sent as soon as possible and if the recipients are able they are contracted with to pay the nurse. If they are unable to bear the expense the committee attends to it. The money is not being paid out recklessly, but the day for paying doctors, nurses, domestics, grocers and druggists will arrive and must be met. All orders are drawn by Attorney James Oliver Campbell, who has been engaged as general secretary, and are signed by President Heineman.

Some Liberal Contributors.

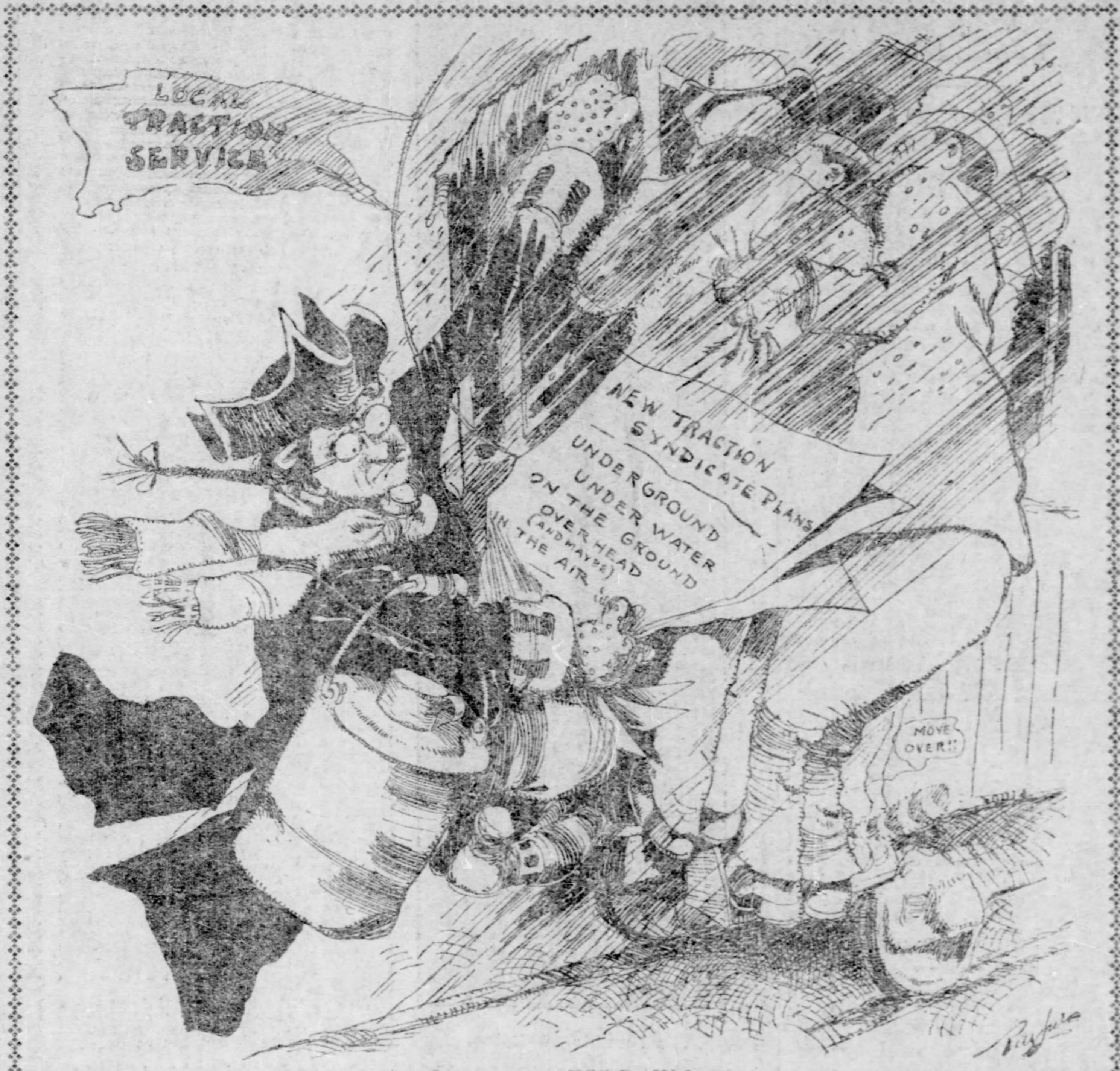
Collector Jackson reported that the total contributions and cash pledged to date are in round numbers $10,000. Among those of today were the National Transit Company, $1,000; American Brewing Company, $500; Producers and Refiners' Oil Company, $250; E. H. Jennings & Bros., $250; Mellon Bros., the Pittsburgh bankers, largely interested in the Standare steel car works, offered to expend $3,000 in drilling artesian wells in Butler. The Warren(Pa.) Crystal Water Company wired that they had shipped a carload of distilled water to Butler. Proprietor Earl of the Clinton offered the use of the Standard hotel in Fair Grounds avenue as a hospital, and L. H. Craig offered his residence in Bluff street. Both will be used.

A number of patients have already been taken to the Good Will hose rooms and to the Wagner residence. Three rooms in the rear of the council chamber have been furnished as a nurses' rendezvous. One thousand dollars was voted to the executive committee as an emergency fund. Chairman Moore of the executive committee reported today that 26 nurses were sent out on duty and relief furnished to 84 families. The nurses are sent out as fast as they can be assigned. One new physician, Dr. Raymond Thompson, located in the city, and already has been sent out on a number of cases. The home physicians unite in saying that more doctors are necessary. Dr. F. C. Johnson of Philadelphia increased his offer of paid nurses from the city of Philadelphia from 20 to 50, and wired to send that number to Butler.

At the executive committee meeting the ward chairmen reported their appointments of ward committees and the Ladies' auxiliary. It is expected that $1,000 of the corporate fund will be appropriated by the committee for the use of the relief committee.

Dr. Johnston of Philadelphia, who was sent to Butler to investigate conditions tonight wired the following report to Mayor Weaver:

"Conservative professional operation gives from 1,000 to 1,200 cases today. No official report to board of health of old or recent cases. Estimate, 4,000 people in distress. Majority cases early in second week. Doctors and nurses overworked. Adequate funds for needed relief furnished for the present." No anxiety about fuel, food or medicine. Diet station and three temporary hospitals under way. Fifty nurses and 75 servant girls can be used."



Any Improvement Will Be Welcome.

MANY OFFERS OF AID FOR BUTLER

Arrangements Made for Money and Nurses to Be Sent from Here.

MATTER TAKEN UP BY MAYORS

Pittsburgh and Allegheny are coming to the aid of fever-stricken Butler. Steps were taken yesterday by the executive authorities of both cities to assist in caring for the patients and to do their share in alleviating suffering in the epidemic district. Over 100 graduate nurses from local hospitals are now engaged on the errand of mercy, and room is being made here for attention to patients who may be brought on the long journey for treatment.

Dr. B. A. Booth, the Pittsburgh city health physician, will go to Butler today to investigate the conditions. This afternoon he will notify Pittsburgh hospitals by telephone as to the number of patients which they will be desired to care for, and those that cannot be treated at home will be brought here immediately. Dr. Booth made a canvass of all the institutions yesterday and received prompt offers of aid. St. Francis' hospital has sent four nurses to Butler and will take care of 14 patients; the South Side hospital sent three nurses, and will provide for 12 patients; the Allegheny General hospital supplied 30 nurses from its graduates and will take six patients; the Mercy hosptial spared 10 nurses and will care for about 20 patients, the first two of whom will arrive from Butler today; the West Penn hospital will receive 15 patients; the Homeopathic hospital sent 15 nurses and will care for 20 patients. At the other smaller institutions the offers were equally generous.

Pittsburgh's proffered assistance came in consequence of a personal appeal for help made yesterday by Burgess William M. Kennedy and City Treasurer Harry Grieb of Butler, who came to Pittsburgh to consult with the authorities and secure the assistance of physicians and nurses and to employ domestic help.

At the meeting of councils Mayor Hays transmitted a telegram he had received Saturday from Butler authorities asking aid. The mayor suggested that anything which councils should decide to do for the town should be done at once.

Councilman W. D. O'Brien stated that what the people wanted was money and not sympathy, and that unless councils could give money it would be useless to do anything. Mr. O'Brien moved that a committee be appointed to inquire whether the city had any legal power to appropriate money for typhoid sufferers. Mr. Upperman insisted that councils had no authority to spend money for any purpose for which there had not been a specific appropriation.

The body paid no attention to Mr. Upperman's objections, and Mr. Murphy amended Mr. O'Brien's motion to make it a joint committee of both branches of councils, three from common and two from select, and that the committee act in conjunction with the mayor. The motion was adopted.

Mayor Wyman assured Burgess Kennedy that Allegheny would do everything possible to help the Butler authorities.

The Pennsylvania and Baltimore & Ohio railroads will furnish free transportation to nurses, doctors and others who go to the relief of the suffering, letters from Mayor Hays being honored on both lines. Henry Hamburger sent $100 to Butler by telegraph yesterday morning and the Arbuthnot-Stevenson Company contributed $100 through Mayor Hays.

Two nurses were sent from the St. John hospital, Allegheny, to Butler last night. Superintendent Weller notified Burgess Kennedy that St. John's hospital would take any patients sent from Butler to Allegheny, and arrangements have been made to accommodate 50 if the Butler authorities decide to remove any of their sufferers.

PRETTY STENOGRAPHER STOLE A FINE DIAMOND

Physician's Aid Necessary Before Police Could Recover a $400 Sparkler for Merchant Who Was Robbed Before His Very Eyes.

Nettie Steele, an attractive appearing young woman whose vocation is that of stenographer, is locked in a cell at the Central police station, charged with larceny by Samuel F. Sipe, the diamond merchant. The young woman called at Mr. Sipe's place of business about noon yesterday. In a short time he missed a $400 diamond. He charged that she got away with it almost while he was looking. She became indignant and made emphatic denials. Sipe hung on to her till the police he sent for arrived and placed her under arrest. As she was led away she took the diamond with her. A few hours later, with the aid of a physician, the police got both a confession and the stone from the young woman.

Mr. Sipe's story is that about noon yesterday the Steele woman called at his store with a gold ring from which a solitaire diamond had been removed. She said she wanted a good stone to put into the vacant setting, and Mr. Sipe himself showed her one worth $150. It was not good enough, and the merchant produced a diamond worth $275. It also would not do. Mr. Sipe became interested. The girl was well dressed, and although she knew what she wanted, she seemed very nervous and fluttered a handkerchief spread out in her hand.

Mr. Sipe produced a $400 stone and placed in the setting of the ring, which the woman held in the hand containing the handkerchief. The $400 sparkler appeared nice, but she asked to see the $275 stone again and Mr. Sipe turned to get it. When he looked around again the $400 diamond was gone out of the setting, and in its place, the diamond man says, was another stone, a cheap one, which he had never seen before. Thinking the diamond was in the handkerchief Mr. Sipe snatched the cloth from his customer and shook it over the case. The stone did not fall out.

"What do you mean, sir?" demanded the Steele woman.

Mr. Sipe told her she had his diamond and had substituted one of her own. She was indignant and defied him to prove it. He sent for detectives, who came and escorted the woman to the police station, Mr. Sipe accompanying them. The Steele woman willingly submitted to a search. The matron stripped her, but could find no diamond. Mr. Sipe said he thought she had swallowed the diamond and the woman laughed heartily.

Mr. Sipe then swore out a warrant before Alderman James E. Connor, the girl being detained at the station. When the warrant was brought and the girl was told that she would have to go to jail, she asked what she could do to gain her freedom.

"Tell what you did with my diamond," said Sipe.

The girl held out until 4 p. m. and then confessed that she had swallowed the stone, but she was willing to give it up. Dr. Eugene G. Matson, city bacteriologist, was sent for. He treated the woman, and in three hours the diamond was recovered.

The Steel woman was surprised at not gaining her liberty immediately afterward. Her hearing was set for tonight. She lives at No. 204 Fifteenth street, Sharpsburg, and works for the Pittsburgh Steel Company. Her employers give her an excellent character.

POVERTY IS BLESSING, SAYS STEELMASTER

Andrew Carnegie Talks of Land o' Cakes at Banquet at Delmonico's.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Responding to the toast, "The Land o' Cakes," at the dinner of the St. Andrews society at Delmonico's tonight, Andrew Carnegie praised poverty, and told how happy the poor child is and how many advantages he has over the children of the wealthy.

"The child of the millionaire," said Mr. Carnegie, "cannot know what the words father and mother mean. But few Scotchmen have been cursed by being born to wealth. They've been born to poverty.

"If all the eulogy that has been spoken upon Scotland were printed you could not found a free library big enough to hold the volumes. I have often been asked on my travels what it is that makes the Scotchmen so Scotch. What evokes this unique love and worship of country? Her sons feel and know it to be deserved, but the causes lie too deep for adequate expression."

Mr. Carnegie thought it was due to the climate, the beauty of the heather hills and glens. "Then history and tradition tell," he added, "the struggle for civil, and, above all, religious liberty, and poverty; the struggles against adverse criticism have strengthened his sinews. The poverty of Scotland has strengthened and blessed him."

The Rev. Dr. George S. Lorimer raised a laugh at the expense of Mr. Carnegie. "I am glad," said Dr. Lorimer, "to hear that Andrew Carnegie is such an enthusiastic admirer of poverty. I was born poor, and I know that I shall not have to exercise my wits to know how to die poor."

Mr. Carnegie joined in the laughter of the diners.

FRANK A. PARKER.

ASSASSIN'S BLOODY WORK IN KENTUCKY MOUNTAINS

Killed Father and Son and Shot Two Other Men—Has Been Captured.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

LOUISVILLE, Nov. 30.—A special from Hodgenville, Ky., reports the assassination of two men, the fatal wounding of a third man and the injury of another. The dead are 'Squire Osborne and his son, Dave Osborne, and the wounded, Will Gardner, will die, and John Bennett, arm shattered.

The alleged murderer, Custer Gardner, a young farmer, was caught at Elizabethtown today after a desperate fight and taken to the Munfordville jail.

Under cover of darkness the assassin crept to the window of the room where the men were sitting and, placing his Winchester near the glass, fired several times. 'Squire Osborne fell to the floor dead, his head torn almost off. His son was shot through the heart. Will Gardner was wounded in the abdomen and John Bennett's left arm was shattered by a ball.

The trouble started in a family quarrel, which developed into a factional fight. Gardner has heretofore borne a good reputation.

HELD UP A TRAIN, BUT WAS CAPTURED

POTTSVILLE, PA., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—"Stop the train or I will fire," was the command of Edward Lutz as he stood today with a rifle in his hand pointed toward a Philadelphia & Reading passenger train, which was swiftly approaching him. The engineer did not hear Lutz' words and disregarded his threatening attitude until a bullet crashed into the cab and came within an inch of passing through the engineer's brain. When other shots were fired in rapid succession the passengers realized that the train was being held up in true bandit style. The train was stopped and Lutz was captured and sent to jail.

WOOD IGNORED HIS SUPERIOR

Maj.-Gen. Brooke Complains of Alleged Insubordination.

RUBENS IS WITNESS

Enemies of Absent Officer Relate Grievances to Senate Committee.

RATHBONE AGAIN ON STAND

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Washington, Nov. 30.—Maj. Gen. John R. Brooke, retired, former governor general of Cuba, today gave testimony before the senate committee on military affairs which charged insubordination against Gen. Leonard Wood. Gen. Brooke occupied the entire time in telling of Gen. Wood's conduct at Santiago. At the close of his testimony a member of the committee said that it is probable Gen. Wood will have to return from the Philippines and testify.

One of the charges made by Gen. Brooke is that Gen. Wood violated the order which required him in making improvements in Santiago to submit estimates to the governor general. As evidence of this violation Gen. Brooke called attention to the building of barracks at Santiago near the morro without Gen. Wood first having given notice to the department at Havana. Gen. Brooke said also that Gen. Wood continually sent communications to the war department over the head of his commanding officer.

Gen. Brooke called the attention of the committee in support of an allegation that Gen. Wood had neglected to work in harmony with the military governor the matter of Gen. Wood's attitude toward the newspapers at Santiago which repeatedly made attacks on Gen. Brooke's administration. Gen. Brooke read a number of these attacks and also his recommendation to the war department that the papers be suppressed unless they desisted.

Wood Ignores Brooke.

Gen. Brooke read a letter which he had sent to the adjutant general of the war department asking that Gen. Wood be instructed to prohibit the publication of such articles during the period of military government. He also read Gen. Wood's reply to the adjutant general, which, the witness said, had been sent over the head of his superior officer, saying that freedom of speech, untrammeled criticisms of the military government and absolute independence in all matters, was a necessary part of the education of the Cubans to fit them to conduct a liberal government.

In the course of Gen. Brooke's testimony he said that Gen. Wood became unduly excited when the Cubans held indignation meetings at Santiago for the purpose of protesting against the centralization order. The witness laid before the committee a copy of a telegram he received from Gen. Wood saying that the Cubans looked upon the order as approaching a calamity and that discontent and profound business depression existed. Finally Gen. Wood prayed that the customs receipts be left under local control. The witness declared that the attitude of Gen. Wood was responsible to a great extent in adding to the disquiet of the Cubans.

Maj. Rathbone Up Again.

Maj. Rathbone was before the committee for half an hour this afternoon. The committee asked him if he desired to have additional witnesses summoned and as a result of the conference a number of supoenas were issued.

When the hearing opened Horatio S. Rubens of New York, formerly a member of the Cuban junta, was waiting to be heard.

Mr. Rubens' testimony tended to corroborate Maj. Runcie in reference to the knowledge Gen. Wood is said to have had of the Runcie magazine article criticising unfavorably Maj.-Gen. Brooke as governor general of Cuba.

One of the most important statements made by Mr. Rubens was that Gen. Wood visited him after the publication of the Runcie article, and that their conversation showed that Gen. Wood had previous knowledge of it. Mr. Rubens said Gen. Wood admitted that he had told Runcie that the article put him (Wood) in an awkward position.

The witness detailed the relationship between Gen. Wood and newspaper men, saying it was understood that he attempted to use the newspaper men to exploit his own deeds. Regarding Gens. Ludlow and Wilson, Mr. Rubens said Gen. Wood was quoted as saying that he had to get rid of them. While this was hearsay evidence, it was admitted as the witness told the committee how he could obtain evidence to prove the truth of the statements.

At the conclusion of Mr. Rubens' testimony a member of the committee asked him his opinion of Gen. Wood's veracity. He asked that the question be made more explicit and was then asked if he would be willing to accept the word of Gen. Wood in any matter in which the general had a personal interest. Mr. Rubens answered he was sorry to say that he could not accept Gen. Wood's statement under such circumstances.

United States Will Recognize King Peter.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—The United States government has given directions looking to the recognition of King Peter Karageorgevitch of Servia. Mr. Jackson already has received his credentials as minister of the United States to Belgrade, and it is said at the state department that it merely is a question of a short time when he will present those credentials in person at the Servian court.

Fatally Shot His Son.

ALTOONA, PA., Nov. 30.—While Geo. Smeltzer and his son Harrison, aged 16, of Roaring Springs, were hunting near their home today the father tripped over a log and his gun was discharged. The ball entered the son's abdomen, fatally injuring him.

HAS CONFESSED TO MURDERS

Greensburg Prisoner Says He Killed Chicago Policeman.

GIVES ALL DETAILS

Charles E. Kruger, Sentenced to Hang, Connects Himself With Numerous Crimes.

STORY GETS LITTLE CREDENCE

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Chicago, Nov. 30.—One of Chicago's most puzzling double murders, the slaying of Policemen Pennell and Devine, has been cleared up, it is believed, by the confession of Charles E. Kruger, who is to hang in Greensburg, Pa., for a murder committed there. Kruger has confessed, according to the police, that he alone is the slayer of Officers Pennell and Devine. Both men were shot and killed August 12, 1902, at Ashland and West Jackson boulevards while they were trying to arrest a gang of burglars.

Kruger, according to stories which come from Pennsylvania, appears to have been a wholesale murderer. The sheriff at Greensburg is authority for the statement that Kruger has confessed to killing 15 persons within the last few years. With the exception of the Devine and Pennell murder, Kruger's other crimes were committed in the east.

The Chicago police know nothing of Kruger. They say that he has never been arrested here and that they have no picture of him at the identification bureau.

O'Neill Believes It.

Chief O'Neill says that he believes Kruger's confession in regard to the killing of the two Chicago officers is true. Kruger describes minutely the spot where the officers fell after they had been shot, and also tells a strange story of how the shooting took place.

Kruger fled from the east to escape the consequences of his crime, and fell in with two hold-up men here. While they were on West Jackson boulevard Policeman Devine met them and asked, "What are you fellows doing here?"

"Well," Kruger replied, "I don't see any fence around this street, so I guess we can stay here if we want to."

Devine looked at the men sharply and then concluded that they were too many for him, and walked away. Afterward he returned with Pennell and Kruger's companions fled. Kruger backed into a dark alley and opened fire. At his first shot one of the bluecoats fell, the next shot laid out the other officer, and after emptying the remaining chambers of his revolver into the bodies of the fallen men, Kruger turned and fled. He made his way downtown and the next day left Chicago.

Kruger's Story Doubted.

GREENSBURG, PA., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—After having publicly announced his acceptance of Christianity, Charles E. Kruger, the murderer sentenced to be hanged on Thursday, January 14, today confessed that he is guilty of having killed Policemen Devine and Pennell, in Chicago and that he has perpetrated 15 other murders.

Little credence is given to the confession here. There can be no doubt that it exists, Sheriff John H. Trescher having told that it had been gotten from him for use in the compilation of a history of his life. This history is to be published in book form, the proceeds after his execution to be devoted to the support of his aged parents in East Liverpool, O. The authenticity of the confession, however, is questioned by all of the county authorities with the exception of the convicted man's jailers, it being considered a physical impossibility for one so young to have committed so many crimes.

Kruger, when on trial for the murder of Constable Henry F. Bierer, testified that he came to this country in 1896 with his parents. He was then 17 years old. The family first lived at Homestead. On February 4, 1899, Kruger was sentenced in Allegheny county to a term of four years and one month in Western penitentiary for burglary. He was released on January 22, 1902. He was again arrested five months later for stealing a shanty boat in the Ohio river. In expiation of this crime he served in Ohio prisons until February 14, 1903. In May of this year he came to the No. 1 plant of the Jamison Coal and Coke Company. On July 9 he murdered Constable Bierer.

Delights in Notoriety.

District Attorney Jesse E. B. Cunningham tonight said that Kruger's testimony had been confirmed in communication with the authorities of the institutions in which he had been imprisoned. According to Mr. Cunningham he has been in prison all but about seven months of the last four years with the exception of his first year's residence in this country.

Sheriff Trescher was absent from Greensburg today, but newspaper men were admitted to the jail. Kruger, when questioned concerning the confession, seemed disposed to discuss it, but a deputy sheriff refused to allow him to talk of his alleged crimes. The Rev. W. R. Corter, who yesterday induced Kruger to accept Christianity, said that Kruger had never made reference to any crimes other than the murder of Constable Bierer.

The confession is generally regarded as a money-making scheme. Kruger has been a reader of cheap literature, and has seemed to delight in the notoriety the murder of the Greensburg constable and his sensational capture have given him. He recently had his photograph taken and posters now appear in the jail corridors. They read: "Kruger's photographs for sale." He has already issued a number of special invitations for his execution.

MOVE MADE TO GET PURE WATER; WIGHTMAN WINS IN SELECT

Typhoid Fever Scare Affects the Members of Common Council.

BIGELOW'S BILL AMENDED

The typhoid scare at Butler has reached Pittsburgh and was the lever that induced common council last night to take positive action in the direction of a pure water supply. Director Bigelow's filtration resolution, authorizing the employment of experts to pass upon his own estimates for a sand filtration plant, was so amended that the director will hardly recognize the measure when he sees it again.

The resolution in its original shape provided merely that three experts named should "verify the figures" of the director of public works, who estimated that a sand filtration plant for the whole of Pittsburgh would cost $7,125,000. Three amendments were made last night, the most important by Joseph C. Wasson, who proposed that the experts should give an opinion as to the size of a plant large enough for the entire city, including the South Side, and also furnish an estimate of the total cost.

Stevenson Fixed Experts' Pay.

M. G. Leslie also succeeded in persuading W. H. Stevenson, chairman of the finance committee, to offer an amendment fixing a maximum compensation for the experts. The amount fixed is $5,000.

D. F. Crawford amended to provide that the experts' report should be received not later than February 1. All three amendments were adopted unanimously. The resolution was passed on second reading and went over for reprinting.

The absence of three or four "Orphans" enabled the Citizens to elect a president pro tem. of common council by a majority of one vote. Interest was added to the contest by the nomination of a candidate by each of the three factions of the body—the Citizens, the Orphans and the Republicans. For the Republicans M. G. Leslie nominated Joseph C. Wasson, for the Citizens, Chris Beckert nominated D. J. Bole; for the Orphans, W. H. Stevenson nominated W. C. Reitz in the absence of Dr. George W. McNeil, who had been selected previously as the candidate. Dr. McNeil was delayed in reaching the council chamber.

The vote stood: Bole 20, Wasson 9, Reitz 10. The absent Orphans were Jacob Soffel, J. P. Shaw and Dr. McNeil, all of whom arrived after the voting.

"The Citizens polled their full strength tonight," said Mr. Stevenson, "but they cannot get more than 20 of the 51 votes of common council. The Republicans and the Orphans can elect their candidate whenever they wish. There was nothing at stake tonight and the honor was an empty one."

New Railroad Is Proposed.

An ordinance for a railroad, which is supposed to be the beginning and the connecting link for the proposed long-talked-of line of the Jones & Laughlin company to Lake Erie, was introduced in common council by W. H. Barker of the Twenty-third ward. The ordinance grants the Eastern Railroad Company the right to build a line, connecting with the Monongahela Connecting railway to the point where the company proposes to build a bridge over the Monongahela river at Melancthon street, in the Twenty-third ward.

Mr. Barker stated that he believed the road was to cross the bridge and connect with another line up Straights run, en route to Lake Erie. The route named in the ordinance begins at a point at or near Hollywood and Lafayette streets, thence runs parallel with and adjacent to the right of way of the Glenwood railroad, across Hollywood street, Lowry street, the north end of Shippen street, Hazelwood avenue and Tecumseh street to Melancthon street.

The tracks are to have a clearance of not less than 20 feet above Lowry street and 25 feet above Hazelwood avenue and Tecumseh street. The supports are to be on the curb line. Except where the road crosses the streets, the road is on the property of Jones & Laughlin. Mr. Barker stated that it was possible that the road might also connect with the West End belt line on the south side of the Monongahela river.

New Wabash Bill Introduced.

The Wabash has apparently little hope of its ordinance getting out of the hands of the corporations committee of select council, because Jacob Soffel last night introduced an ordinance in common council exactly like the one pending in the upper branch. The ordinance grants the company the right to construct an elevated line along the Duquesne wharf. It was referred to the joint corporations committee.

An ordinance providing for the letting of the street lighting contract for next year was presented by Dr. Sterrett. The bill provides that the contract shall not exceed the price of $360,000.

Supt. John P. McTighe wants 50 more patrolmen and an ordinance providing for this increase was introduced.

An effort to pass ordinances for the transfer of funds, aggregating $172,500 for the relief of the street lighting bureaus, the bureau of water assessors and other branches of the department of public works failed last night owing to the lack of the necessary three-fourths vote to suspend the rules.

Mr. Leslie called for the report of the special committee appointed several months ago to investigate the bureau of health. Messrs. Stevenson and Reitz claimed the report was lengthy and asked for more time.

New Contracts Authorized.

Ordinances authorizing the letting of contracts to supply the various pumping stations with coal were introduced. The following amounts are authorized: Brilliant station, $95,000; Herron Hill, $15,000; Garfield, $3,500; Lincoln avenue, $2,500.

A petition was presented for the erection of a bridge from Liberty avenue and Thirty-seventh streets, in the Sixteenth ward, to Brereton avenue. The bridge is to extend over the tracks of the Pittsburgh & Junction and the Pennsylvania railroads.

Among the bills passed finally were the following: Salary ordinance for department of public works, ordinance purchasing pipe line system from Glenwood Land Company for $40,000, ordinance annulling contract with Pennsylvania Asphalt Company for repaving portion of Collins avenue.

BRITISH ARMY INCREASING ITS BALLOON SERVICE

LONDON, Nov. 30.—The war office has decided to establish balloon stations in the Mediterranean. Sections of the balloon corps have been ordered to proceed to Malta and Gibraltar early in December. Hitherto there have been no permanent balloon establishments in the British army outside of Aldershot camp, England.

Fish Undergoes Operation.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Hamilton Fish, assistant treasurer of the United States in this city, underwent an operation for the removal of his appendix yesterday. Mr. Fish is reported to be doing very well.

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Citizens Control the Upper Branch by Good Working Majority.

RUMP COMMITTEE INTACT

The election of James Smiley Wightman as president of select council yesterday demonstrated that the Citizens party controls select council by a majority of at least six votes. Notwithstanding that it was known positively that Mr. Wightman had enough votes to elect him and some to spare, Thomas E. Perry of the Twelfth ward was nominated by his faction. He received 13 votes and Mr. Wightman 20 votes. John A. Murphy of the Twentieth ward voted for Wightman, who received also every Citizens vote. Evan Jones of the Thirty-sixth ward voted for Wightman.

Although the Citizens party had at its command a majority of seven votes to abolish the rump committees of select council no move was made in that direction. On the contrary the rump committees were given as much recognition as formerly. Every measure introduced and all bills messaged from common council were referred to the rump committees. The following vote shows the line-up for president:

For Wightman—Messrs. Barry, Booth, Costello, Douglas, Fichtel, Fleming, Gallagher, Geary, Hermes, Jones, Kearns, Lang, Morgan, Murphy, O'Brien, Poke, Perry, Schempp, Schiernitzauer and West.—20.

For Perry—Messrs. Atkinson, Benz, Diehl, Ruhlandt, Schneider, Shenkel, Stewart, Upperman, Voskamp, Wainwright, Wightman, Wilson, Zahniser—13.

Lawley's Appointment Confirmed.

Messrs. Perry and Wightman voted for each other. Wightman was nominated by P. J. Barry of the Fifth ward, and Perry was nominated by Samuel J. Wainwright of the Eighteenth ward.

Messrs. Barry and Wainwright were appointed by the clerk to escort Mr. Wightman to the chair, Barry introducing the president-elect. Mr. Wightman briefly thanked the members and promised that he would fulfill his duties without favor to any party or person. He was the recipient of a large box of beautiful chrysanthemums from some of his friends.

The first business transacted by councils after the election of president was the consideration of several messages from Mayor William B. Hyas. One was the appointment of John Lawley, Democrat, of the Twenty-first ward, as city assessor to fill the vacancy caused by the death of D. O. Barr. Every member of council, with the exception of one, voted to confirm Lawley's appointment, Robert H. Douglas, of the Twenty-first ward, alone voting in the negative and making a special request that he be recorded as opposed to Lawley's confirmation.

The mayor transmitted a communication from W. N. Frew, president of the board of directors of the Carnegie institute, asking councils for the necessary authority to take possession of a lot, 120 feet wide and 190 feet deep at the corner of Carson and South Twenty-second streets, for use as a site for the South Side branch of the Carnegie library. The communication was referred to the committee on libraries.

Name of an Alley Was Wrong.

The mayor transmitted a veto of an ordinance providing for the grading, curbing and paving of Bowery alley in the Seventeenth ward. Mr. Zahniser explained that the name should have been Garden alley, and he asked that the mayor's veto be sustained so that another ordinance could be introduced. This was done.

James W. Platt was permitted to resign his seat as member from the Second ward, the body disregarding the writ of ouster from the court. Mr. Perry presented Mr. Platt's resignation, prepared on November 7, which he asked as a matter of courtesy to Mr. Platt, that it take precedence over the court's ouster of the date of November 12. The body accepted Mr. Platt's resignation by a unanimous vote. As P. J. Donahoe, of the Fourth ward, had not sent in his resignation the same courtesy was not extended him. The clerk had previously erased the names of Messrs. Platt and Donahoe from the council roll when he had received the court writs and he called the president's attention to this fact. The president, however, permitted the members to pass upon the matter.

The roll as now made up shows that select council has a membership of 34. William E. Sankey's name is still on the roll as he has not handed in his resignation and no steps have been taken to oust him.

Chemists Want Sand Filtration.

The Pittsburgh section of the American Chemical society has declared for sand filtration and has asked councils to take immediate action to procure a pure water supply. A resolution adopted by the society was presented to select council by Mr. Upperman but no action was taken on it. It was referred to the committee on filtration. It was as follows:

Whereas, the question of the purification of the water supply of the city of Pittsburgh has been made the subject of a thorough investigation by a commission created by councils in 1896; and,

Whereas, under the direction of this commission experiments and examinations were conducted by experts of ability and experience; and,

Whereas, it was recommended by the commission that the water should be purified by the process of sand filtration; and,

Whereas, since the publication of the commission's report no radically new methods of water purification have been developed, and the original recommendations are still applicable; and,

Whereas, it is a matter of common knowledge that this community is suffering from a continuous epidemic of typhoid fever, resulting from the use of polluted water; be it therefore

Resolved, that it is the sense of the Pittsburgh section of the American Chemical Society that steps should be taken at once towards procuring a supply of good water for the city of Pittsburgh;

Resolved, that we earnestly request the councils of the city of Pittsburgh to give the matter immediate consideration, with a view to the establishment of a system of sand filters in accordance with the recommendation of the filtration commission; and be it further

Resolved, that a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the mayor and councils of the city of Pittsburgh, and the secretary is hereby directed to do so.

Ordinances were passed permitting the Railway Steel Spring Company to lay a switch in Smallman street and Wick Bros. one in Valley street, requiring brokers in produce and merchandise to take out a license; transferring moneys for repaving streets; for the payment of William Angloch, Edward Steel, William Dunn and William Griggsby, city employes, for work done in April, May and June, and E. C. Adams, Thomas Sheehan and G. H. Anderson for work done in March; also the ordinances providing for the vacation and renaming of South Side streets in accordance with the plans of the new warehouse venture.

The new bills presented were ordinances for a switch in Edwards alley, authorizing the laying of a pipe line in Sheridan place, resolutions for appropriations for repaving Edwards alley, Merriman alley and Fox street, and for board walks in the Thirty-eighth ward.

The salary ordinance for the public safety department was not reported to select council yesterday by the finance committee of that branch because of some changes made in the committee. The salary of the chief clerk in the bureau of fire was reduced from $125 a month to $112 50.

The new ordinance made the salary $150 a month; one utility man at the stables at $60 a month was allowed instead of two and an additional permit clerk asked for in the bureau of building inspection was not allowed.

Assistant engineers at $90 a month were reduced to $75, the present salary; stokers from $65 to $50; elevator operators from $60 to $50, and scrub women from $45 to $40.

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TROLLEYS FOR EVERY STREET

Company Presents Ordinances in Councils for Seven New Traction Lines.

COMPLETE ROUTES SHOWN

The ordinances for seven new street car lines, covering streets unoccupied by the Pittsburgh Railways Company in the East End, Oakland, Lawrenceville, Hazelwood and in the lower section of the city, were introduced in common council last night.

The ordinances provide for a downtown loop, connecting with main lines that run through the Bloomfield and Garfield districts to Highland park, with a branch to East Liberty, Homewood and Brushton; another line running through the Sixth ward to Oakland, covering the Squirrel Hill district and extending out to Hazelwood and Glenwood, where connections with Braddock, Homestead and McKeesport are eventualy to be made.

The charters were obtained within the past year at Harrisburg by a company which ostensibly consists of Robert C. Hall, John Sloan, S. S. Leslie and Director James W. Clark of the department of charities. It has been stated that the Bigelow brothers and Murry A. Verner were back of the enterprise, but this Director E. M. Bigelow denied last night.

"I know nothing about the company and I do not care to know anything about it," said Director Bigelow. T. S. Bigelow was equally emphatic in denying any connection with the company.

The ordinances are identical in their provisions, although the name of the company under each ordinance is different.

Agrees to Pay Tax.

Each ordinance provides that the company is subject to all lawful ordinances of the city in relation to street railways now or hereafter enacted, including a tax or licensing ordinance, providing they are binding on all street railways. In case in any year no general ordinance licensing or taxing street railway companies shall be valid, or none such is in existence, the company shall pay an annual tax of 5 per cent on its gross receipts to the city. In such years it shall make a return of its business to the controller on the 15th of January and July.

The routes of the seven companies are as follows:

Pittsburgh Rapid Transit Company, beginning at Exchange alley and Eighth street, along Exchange alley to Eleventh street, crossing that street to Spring alley and along the alley to Ligonier street; also from Twenty-first street and Spring alley, along Twenty-first street to Smallman street, to Thirty-fifth street, to Charlotte street, to Thirty-fourth street; also from Thirty-fourth street and Spring alley along Thirty-fourth street to Railroad street.

Line Reaches Smallman Street.

Also from Eleventh street and Exchange alley along Eleventh street to Duquesne way and thence to Tenth street. Also from Eighth street and Exchange alley along Eighth street to Penn avenue. Also from Eighth street and Exchange alley along Eighth street to Liberty avenue. Also from Pike and Eleventh streets, along Pike street to Twenty-first street, crossing that street to Smallman street. Also from Smallman and Thirty-fifth streets, along Smallman street to Thirty-sixth street to Charlotte street, to Thirty-eighth, to Bank street.

Permission is granted, within two years, to abandon the lines from Eleventh street and Exchange alley, along Exchange alley to Eighth street, from Eighth street and Exchange alley, along Eighth street to Penn avenue and to Liberty avenue; from Pike and Eleventh streets, along Eleventh street and Duquesne way and thence to Tenth street; from Twenty-first street and Spring alley, along Spring alley to Ligonier street; from Thirty-fourth street and Spring alley along Thirty-fourth street to Railroad street; from Smallman and Thirty-fifth streets, along Thirty-fifth street to Charlotte street to Thirty-fourth street.

Ferry Street Railway Company—From Liberty avenue and Ferry street, along Ferry street to First avenue, to Ross street, to Third avenue, to the P., C., C. & St. L. R. R. Also from First avenue and Grant street, along Grant street to Second avenue, to Liberty street, to Water street.

Line Out to Oakland.

Iron City Street Railway Company—From the western extremity of Hill street, along Hill street to Shingiss street, to Locust street, to Miltenberger street, crossing Fifth avenue diagonally to Dinwiddie street, to Devilliers street, to Ross street, to Addison street, to Hemans street, to Kirkpatrick street, crossing diagonally to Loplace street, to Soho street, to Emmett street, to Wadsworth street, to Robinson street, to Aliquippa street, to Darragh street, to McKee place, to Brook street, to Zuluma street, to Wilmot place, to Wilmot street, by bridge to Halket street, to Emily street, to Craft avenue, to Kennett square, to Carolina street, to Hamlet street, to Lawn street, to Forbes street. Also from Robinson and Aliquippa streets, along Robinson street to Fifth avenue. Also from Boyd and Locust streets, along Boyd to Watson street, to Ann street, to Stevenson street, to Locust street. Also, from Watson and Boyd streets, along Boyd street to Diamond street or Old avenue, to Gala alley, to Fourth avenue, to Ross street, to Third avenue. Also, from Shingiss and Locust streets, along Shingiss street to Diamond street, to Tunnel street, to Fountain street. Also, from Ann and Magee streets, along Magee street to Gibbon street, to Stevenson street. Also from Locust and Miltenberger streets, along Locust street to Gist street, to Tustin street, to Jumonville street, crossing Fifth avenue to Wyandotte street, to an unnamed street, to private property, to a point opposite Wyandotte and Kirkpatrick streets, along Kirkpatrick street to a point opposite Wadsworth and Soho streets, thence by bridge to Soho street.

Touches Fifth Avenue.

Also, from Emmet and Wadsworth streets, along Wadsworth street to Soho street, to Fifth avenue. Also, from Mohawk and Soho streets, along Mohawk street to Beelen street, to private property, to Burrows street, to Terrace street, to Desota street, to O'Hara or Bayard street, to Boquet street. Also, from Wilmot street and Park View boulevard, along Park View boulevard to Sylvan street, to Middle street, to Glenwood avenue, to Johnston street, to unnamed street, to private property, to Biddle street, to Pitt street, to the city line. Also, along Saline avenue to Monitor street, to Shady avenue, to Beacon street. Also, from Wilmot street and Park View boulevard, along Park View boulevard to Oakland square, to Boquet street, to Oakland avenue, to Forbes street. Also, from Lawn and Forbes streets, crossing Forbes street to Maurice street, and crossing Fifth avenue to Robinson street. Also from Bayard and Boquet street, along Boquet street to Joncaire street.

Through Bloomfield District.

Bankers Street Railway Company—From Ligonier street and Spring alley, along Ligonier street, crossing Penn avenue to Thirty-sixth street, to Bank street, to Thirty-eighth street, to Cabinet alley, to Carrol alley, to Woolslair alley, to Friendship avenue, to Carroll street, to Edmund street, to Scioto street, to Gross street, to private way or extension of Harriett street, crossing Winebiddle avenue to Harriett street, to South Pacific avenue, to North Pacific avenue, to Kincaid street, to North Rebecca street, to Colombo street, to Fairmount street, to Black street, to Chislett street, to Hays street, to Portland alley, to Portland street, to Jackson street, to Collins avenue, to Station street, crossing the Pennsylvania railroad to Penn avenue, to Blank alley, to Shakespeare street, to Landwehr street, to Aurelia street, to Denniston avenue, to Marchand street, to Shady avenue, crossing diagonally to Alder street, to South Highland avenue, crossing diagonally to Alder street, to Spahr street, to College avenue, to Walnut street, to Aiken avenue, crossing diagonally to Dahlia street, to Amberson street, to the Pennsylvania railroad.

Through the East End.

Also from Sheridan and Jackson streets, along Jackson street to Heberton avenue, to Bryant street, to North Highland avenue. Also from Chislett and Hays streets, along Chislett street to Baywood street, to Haight alley, to Haight street, to a point opposite Baker street. Also from Scioto and Mathilda streets, along Mathilda street to Kincaid street. Also from Portland street and Stanton avenue, along Stanton avenue to Collins avenue. Also from Stanton and Sheridan avenues, along Sheridan avenue to Grafton street. Also from Mathilda and Kincaid streets, along Kincaid street to High street, to Morningside road, to Baker street. Also from Hampton street and Morningside road, along Hampton street, crossing North Highland avenue to Stewart street, to Farragut street. Also from Thirty-eighth and Mifflin streets, along Mifflin street to Friendship avenue, to Mathilda street. Also from South Pacific avenue and Coral street, along Coral street to Stratford avenue, crossing Penn avenue at a point opposite Kirkwood street, to Kirkwood street, to Collins avenue. Also from Collins avenue and Station street, along Collins avenue to Broad street, to Sand street, to Kirkwood street. Also from Station and Flavel streets, along Flavel street to Everett street, to Luna street, to Ashley street, to Carver street.

The right is retained to abandon such portions of the routes as may not be needed provided the company maintains a continuous line of at least five miles running to the neighborhood of Highland park.

Squirrel Hill Line.

Squirrel Hill and Wilkinsburg Street Railway Company—From the Darlington road and the Murdoch entrance to Schenley park, along Darlington road to Denniston avenue, to Wilkins avenue, crossing Beechwood boulevard to Linden avenue, to Reynolds street, to Lang avenue, to Monticello street, to Murtland avenue, to Chaucer street, to Lincoln avenue, crossing to Deary street, to Larimer avenue, crossing the bridge to King street, to Thompson street, to Rappidan alley, to Park avenue, to Shetland avenue, to Lowell street, to Carver street, to St. Andrews street, to Omega street, to Everett street, to Princeton place, to Station street. Also from Kelley and North Lang streets along Kelley street to Oakwood street.

Connects With Homestead.

Also from Reynolds and South Lang streets, along Reynolds street to Dumferline street, to Reynolds street, to Braddock avenue, to South street, to Prebles street, to the city line. Also from Shady avenue and the Darlington road, along Shady avenue to Beacon street, to Wightman street, to Wilkins avenue, to Shady avenue, to Fifth avenue. Also from Darlington road to Shady avenue, along Shady avenue to Wilkins avenue. Also from Wilkins and Denniston avenues, along Wilkins avenue to Shady avenue.

Webster Avenue Line.

Webster Avenue Street Railway Company—From Webster avenue and Fulton street, along Webster avenue to its eastern extremity. Also from Webster avenue and Devilliers street, along Devilliers street to Bedford avenue, crossing to Ledlie street, to Cliff street, to Fulton street, to Bedford avenue, to Seventh avenue, to Smithfield street. Also from Seventh avenue and New Grant street, along New Grant street to Liberty avenue. Also Seventh avenue and Grant street, along Grant street to Sixth avenue. Also Bedford and Seventh avenues, along Seventh avenue to Webster avenue, to Fulton street. Also from Webster avenue and Danube street, along Danube street to Munroe street, to Ridge street, to Gold alley, to Byram street, to proposed bridge leading from Byram street across the ravine, the Pennsylvania railroad and the Junction railroad, to Laurel street, to Edmond street, to Sciota street.

Atlantic Street Railway Company—From Collins avenue and Station street, along Station street to Rural avenue, to Waitfield street, to Mignonette street, to Amber street, to Friendship avenue, to South Atlantic avenue, to and crossing Liberty avenue and thence along South Atlantic avenue to its western extremity.

All the ordinances were sent to the committee on corporations.

BIG EXCHANGE MADE OF REAL ESTATE VALUED AT NEARLY $2,000,000

The Hamilton Building.

The largest exchange deal ever consummated in Pittsburgh real estate, and with perhaps one exception the largest deal ever made for city property, was closed yesterday through the Union Realty Company. The principals were Frank McCann and Herbert DuPuy, who were represented respectively by A. O. Detchon and J. C. Ewing. The total amount involved was about $1,925,000, but by request of the principals the detailed prices are withheld.

McCann conveys to DuPuy five properties, the largest of which is the Hamilton building at 335 Fifth avenue. This building, an eight-story brick and steel structure, on a lot 30x240 feet, extending through to Virgin street, was bought by McCann last spring. It is under a 20-year lease to Daniel Olmstead, of Sixth street, at $42,000 a yard, and will be remodeled next April for hotel purposes.

McCann also conveyed to DuPuy the properties at 114-122 Fourth avenue, consisting of four brick buildings, on a lot 100x84.5 feet. One of these properties is known as the Hotel Metropole and is nearly opposite McCann's Grand hotel between Market and Ferry streets. Another property included in the deal was the four six-story brick warehouses at 107-115 Third avenue. They are built on a lot 94x85 feet. The fourth property was the Byalis apartment house at Penn avenue and Beatty street, Twentieth ward, lately bought by McCann from Israel De Roy. This is a modern five-story fireproof brick building, with lot 59x100 feet, and contains three store rooms and 12 suites of four and five rooms each. Another valuable downtown property was also included in the sale.

McCann's properties are all in good condition and bring in an annual rental of $75,000. Most om them were bought by him during the last year.

In part payment for the McCann properties DuPuy tendered property in the Sixth ward, Allegheny. This consists in part of 137 brick houses of from four to nine rooms each. They are built in rows after the Philadelphia plan and face in Sedgwick and Kirkpatrick avenue, St. Clair terrace and Morrison and Lamont streets. He also gave title to three and one-half blocks of vacant frontage facing about 1,100 feet in Washington and Kirkpatrick avenue and St. Clair terface. These properties together constitute what is known as "Hollywood place" and have been in the DePuy family for years. They are rented for about $45,000 a year. The houses are provided with all modern improvements and are called the best bunch of renters in the county.

Both parties in the deal took their respective properties for an investment merely and no important changes are contemplated at present.

DISTRICT CHAIRMEN FOR EVANGELIZATION

Those Who Will Be District Leaders in the Local Religious Crusade.

The central committee in charge of the evangelical movement planned for Allegheny county, appointed a committee yesterday to select chairmen for each of the 42 districts into which the county has been divided. The committee, composed of the Rev. G. W. Taft, the Rev. W. C. Lilley, the Rev. J. H. Pugh and the Rev. T. J. Leak, announced the following district chairmen, who were named immediately after the organization committee was appointed:

District No. 1, downtown, the Rev. J. T. McCrory; No. 2, hill and Soho, the Rev. I. A. Barnes; No. 3, Herron Hill, the Rev. C. L. Thurgood; No. 4, Oakland and Bellefield, the Rev. T. J. Leak; No. 5, Hazelwood, the Rev. J. M. Gaston; No. 6, Lawrenceville, the Rev. J. P. Marlatt; No 7, Garfield and Bloomfield, the Rev. J. K. McClurkin; No. 8, East End, the Rev. R. M. Russell; No. 8½, East End, the Rev. W. A. Stanton; No. 9, Homewood and Brushton; No. 10, South Side, the Rev. S. A. Hunter; No. 10½, South Side, the Rev. H. C. Gleiss; No. 11, Mt. Washington, the Rev. R. H. Hood; No. 12, Manchester, the Rev. J. M. Thoburn, Jr.; No. 13, lower Allegheny, the Rev. E. L. Eaton; No. 14, upper Allegheny and Troy Hill, the Rev. J. A. Platts; No. 15, Observatory Hill and Duquesne Park, the Rev. W. I. Wishart; No. 16, Woods Run, the Rev. S. J. Glass; No. 17, Crafton, the Rev. W. W. Youngson; No. 18, Bakerstown, the Rev. J. C. Dible; No. 19, Tarentum, the Rev. J. H. Kendall; No. 20, North West, the Rev. W. L. Wilson; No. 21, Sewickley, the Rev. W. O. Campbell; No. 22, Emsworth, the Rev. W. S. Harper; No. 23, Avalon and Bellevue, the Rev. George Shaffer; No. 25, Sharpsburg, the Rev. J. A. Duff; No. 26, Springdale, the Rev. W. G. Reed; No. 27, Oakmont and Verona, the Rev. G. Taft; No. 28, Penn and Plum, the Rev. C. G. Hazlett; No. 29, Wilkinsburg, the Rev. J. B. Markward; No. 30, Braddock, the Rev. O. H. Phillips; No. 31, Turtle Creek, the Rev. R. J. Banner; No. 32, Coraopolis, the Rev. J. M. Mercer; No 33, McKees Rocks, the Rev. G. P. Orbin; No. 34, Findley, the Rev. James Potter; No. 35, Noblestown, the Rev. J. W. English; No. 36, Carnegie, the Rev. W. R. Wilson; No. 37, Castle Shannon, the Rev. B. W. Anthony; No. 38, Homestead and Duquesne, the Rev. J. L. Vance; No. 39, West Elizabeth, the Rev. M. B. Lytle; No. 40, McKeesport, the Rev. J. A. Maxwell; No. 41, Elizabeth, the Rev. J. Whitefield; No. 42, Knoxville, the Rev. A. H. Jolly.

Allegheny Police on the Carpet.

The police board of Allegheny, composed of Director Thomas B. Scandrett, Superintendent M. H. Campbell, Capt. James Wilson, Capt. James Agnew, Lieut. William Speer, Lieut. Jacob Snyder, Lieut. William McKelvey, Lieut. John Bolland and Lieut. Richard Wilson, met last night in Director Scandrett's office and considered the cases of several police officers who, it is said, are to be dismissed. Director Scandrett said after the meeting that several policemen were in bad standing because of neglect of duty and drunkenness, and that it was not decided yet what disposition would be made of them.

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BUILDING COLLAPSED.

Weakened by an excavation in the adjoining lot the wall to the building at 4929 Penn avenue, where George Reusswig conducts a hardware store, collapsed early last night, causing a damage to building and stock estimated at from $2,000 to $3,000. Fortunately the accident was preceded by the loud cracking of the brick and mortar, which warned Reusswig's family, above the store, to desert. Barely had the people reached the clear when with a crash the side wall, bringing with it the greater part of the building, fell to the ground. A part of the structure remains.

The excavating next door is being done by Booth & Richard, East End contractors, for P. H. Butler, of 5013 Penn avenue. The damaged building was owned by G. G. O'Brien of No. 5013 Fifth avenue.

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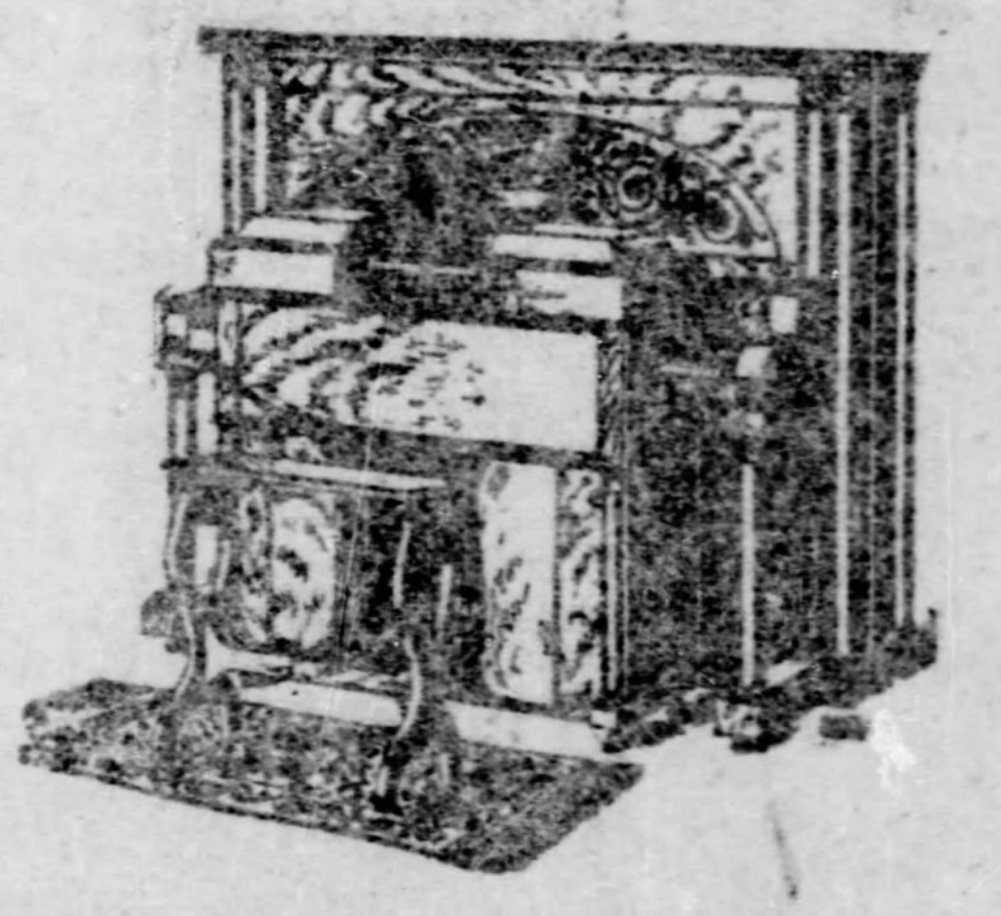

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ANOTHER DEFICIT IN HEALTH FUND

Bond Issue of $225,000 Is Expended and $25,000 More Asked For.

TRANSFERS TO HELP BIGELOW

The Pittsburgh department of public safety has exhausted the emergency bond issue of $225,000, made a couple of months ago by councils to fight smallpox, and last night asked councils to give it $25,000 more. W. H. Stevenson, chairman of the finance committee, introduced a resolution authorizing the transfer of $25,000 from the appropriation for the bureau of police to the bureau of health. Mr. Stevenson made the surprising statement that notwithstanding the fact the health bureau was given $257,350 at the beginning of the year and $225,000 two months ago, the funds of the health bureau were about all gone and even with the $25,000, which it is proposed to take from the police bureau, the health bureau will probably run short before the end of the year.

Bills were also introduced in common council last night making a number of transfers to meet the deficiency in the bureau of highways and sewers, in the department of public works, over which Director Bigelow and Controller Larkin, have had a dispute. The department of public safety was drawn upon to help the public works department out of a financial hole, $25,000 being taken from the police fund for the bureau of highways and sewers.

The sum of $10,000 is also taken from the fund for the changing of street grades for the Pennsylvania railroad improvements at Liberty avenue and Eleventh street, and placed to the account of the bureau of highways and sewers. The bureau of highways and sewers also gains $10,000 from the judgment fund, taking the balance in that fund.

This makes a total of $45,000 that the bureau of highways and sewers will gather from these various sources which will be sufficient to pay the bills for this month, after which there will be another scrimmage for money. There is a deficiency in the bureau of construction of the department of public works and a resolution transferring $6,000 to that bureau from the bureau of surveys was also introduced.

A resolution transferring $3,500 from the police fund to the fund for the general office of the department of public works was also presented. These six transfer ordinances were all referred to the joint finance committee and will come up for passage at the next meeting of councils.

SIX PERSONS WERE HURT BY FALLING ON THE ICE

Boy Tried to Light Lamp, Which Exploded and Burned Him. Mold Hit a Man.

William Conway, aged 70, fell on the icy pavement in Federal street, Allegheny, yesterday and broke his hip. He was removed to his home, 908 Arch street, Allegheny.

Henry Pearson, aged 60, fell on the icy steps leading to McClure avenue, Allegheny, and broke his right leg and received a severe scalp wound Sunday night. He is at his home, 391 California avenue.

George Ginder, aged 15, of 4812 Dauphin street, while coasting in Forty-second street yesterday morning ran into a lamp post, fracturing his right arm.

Joseph Wiggins, slipped on the ice at Fifth avenue and Soho street yesterday and broke his leg. He was removed to Mercy hospital. His home is at 2616 Fifth avenue.

John O'Malley, of Washington avenue, Allegheny, fell on the ice at Sixth street and Duquesne Way last night and sprained his ankle. He was taken to the Homeopathic hospital.

Annie Consnive of Chestnut street, Carnegie, slipped on the ice in front of her home, her head striking the curb, rendering her unconscious and making a cut in her scalp about two inches long. Six stiches were put in her scalp.

Henry Kelly, 12 years old, of Idlewood avenue, East Carnegie, last night tried to light a lamp and an explosion followed, the burning oil scattering all over the boy. His mother caught a rug from the floor and wrapping it around the child saved him from being badly burned.

John Slacker of Wilkinsburg was seriously injured while at work in the Westinghouse foundry at Trafford City by being struck on the head by a mold.

Mrs. Margaret Gracey of Dinwiddie street, is at Mercy hospital suffering injuries to her back and side received in falling on the icy pavement in Fifth avenue, near Vine street, yesterday afternoon.

Bit Policeman's Lip and Fled.

By biting the lip of Patrolman James Lowrey, Mack McClean, a bridge builder, succeeded in escaping from that policeman's clutches last night. A woman pointed him out as the man who stole her pocketbook. McClean fled to a lodging house, where he was found by the policeman and sent to Central station as a suspicious person.

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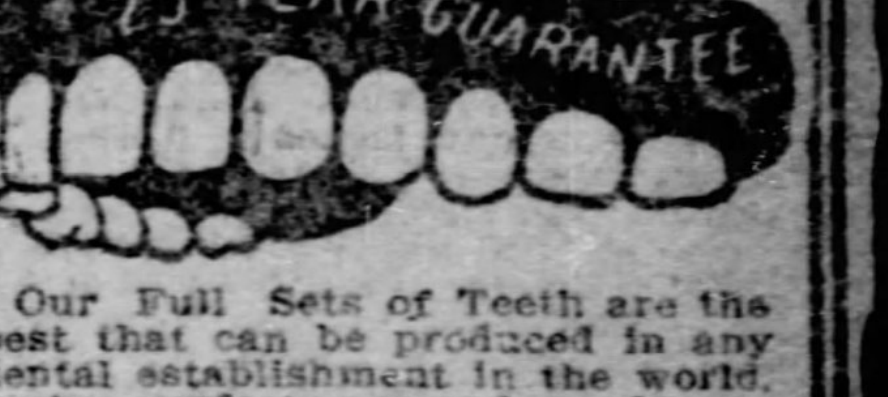

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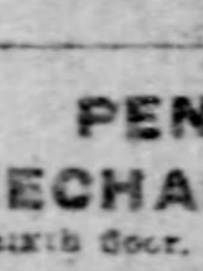

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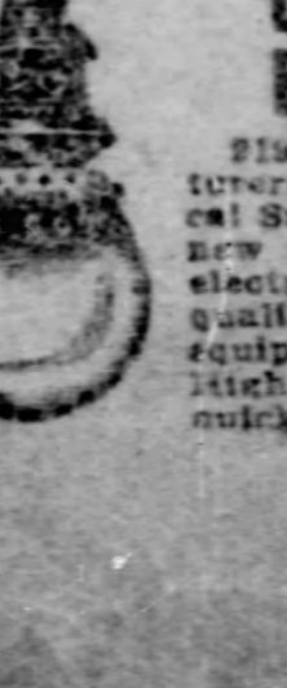

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CITIZENS WILL CONFER TODAY

Thomas S. Bigelow, Mayor Hays and Murry A. Verner to Have a Meeting.

HOWLEY NOT A CANDIDATE

Thomas S. Bigelow, Mayor Hays and Murray A. Verner have a conference arranged for today. They are to discuss plans for the councilmanic campaign.

Bigelow returned yesterday from Washington, where he had been consulting Senator Quay about some appointments. He says he is confident that ex-Mayor Robert J. Black of McKeesport will be appointed one of the sealers of weights and measures by Gov. Pennypacker. If the commissioners will agree to organize a bureau of sealers, Bigelow expects to have Black put at the head of it. He says he went over the local situation with Quay.

Two First ward men have been dropped from the city payroll. Capt. George Earl, who has been one of the ordinance officers since Mayor Diehl was in office, has been removed. Michael Higgins, who has been a fireman for 12 years, is the other discharged payroller. They are friends of Alderman S. J. Toole.

M. P. Howley, who has been mentioned as a Democratic candidate for select council in the Twentieth ward, is not an aspirant for the office. He has removed to the Thirteenth ward and says that he has no desire to become a member of the municipal legislature.

An old time fight is promised in the Thirteenth ward. John J. Morgan wants to be returned to select council. The followers of the lamented Thomas Mullen will line up against him and support John Casserly. Martin J. Mullen, chairman of the Democratic ward committee, is confident that Casserly will secure the Democratic nomination and that is equivalent to an election. The administration forces are supposed to be friendly to Morgan. John Devlin, a cousin of the select councilman, wants the nomination for common councilman. He is unfriendly to Alderman F. M. King and this may take the 'squire's support away from Morgan. Joseph Wall will seek a re-election to his seat in the lower branch and will probably make a working agreement with Casserly.

There has been no settlement of the McTighe-Hermes fight for select council in the Sixth ward. Martin McTighe is still active. His friends are reported to be circulating a petition requesting voters to go on record against the return of Hermes to councils. The McTighes say that they know nothing about it. Members of the payroll in the ward are being asked to line up for McTighe. A clerk in the county commissioners' office has served notice on Commissioner James A. Clark that he intends to work for McTighe.

GENERAL MILES STARTS FOR CRUCIBLE BANQUET

New Club's Affair Is Being Managed So Mysteriously That Much Is Expected.

Gen. Nelson A. Miles, the special guest of honor of the Crucible club, which holds its second banquet this evening, left Washington last night in a special car accompanied by a committee of escort. The members of this committee are President John A. Brashear of the club, Charles A. Rook, Col. Samuel Moody and Florence O'Neill. Gen. Miles will reach the city at 7:45 this morning. During the day he will have quarters at the Hotel Schenley.

The dinner, which will be held at the Union club in the Frick building, will be served at 6:15, promptly. Preceding the dinner a reception will be held in the club's large dining room. The board of governors yesterday issued a notice requesting members and their guests to appear at the club as soon after 6 as possible in order to meet Gen. Miles personally before dinner. He will be at the club at 6 o'clock.

From the responses received by Secretary James Francis Burke it was apparent yesterday that there will be about 100 in attendance at the dinner. Plans have been laid which mean some funny surprises for those present, and memorable fun is expected to be had, judging from the intense secrecy maintained regarding the plans worked on for a couple of weeks by the officers.

The banquet room will be decorated in accord with the military career of Gen. Miles. Victor Herbert, Pittsburgh's famous musician, who will be present, has composed the music for some new songs for the dinner, with words by Arthur G. Burgoyne and Director Arthur A. Hamerschlag of the Carnegie Technical schools. Mr. Hamerschlag appears in a new role, as a composer. President Brashear will preside at the dinner.

The Crucible club is limited in membership to 75 and has a long waiting list. Its purpose is to give a dinner every little while when the most noted men will be the guests of honor. Its first dinner, held last spring, proved a remarkable success and the one this evening promises to follow in the first one's wake.

GAS TO PITTSBURGH FROM NEW PIPE LINE

Manufacturers' Light & Heat Co.'s 20-Inch Main from West Virginia Completed.

Delivery of gas to Pittsburgh consumers through the new pipe line of the Manufacturers' Light and Heat Company began at 6 p. m. yesterday. The gas was first turned in on Sunday last at 1 p. m. but at 5 p. m. it blew up a 20-inch gate. This was repaired and all worked well when the second attempt was made.

Contractors Booth & Flinn made a record for fast work in the construction of the line. Over 64 miles have been laid in about 160 days. The work was started in the first week of July. From Hickory Pressure Station 24 miles of 20-inch line were laid south to the West Virginia state line. From that point 40 miles of 16-inch pipe were laid. Next summer the 20-inch line will be completed from Hickory to Groveton and an additional 16-inch line from the West Virginia state line to the Proctor field of the Manufacturers' company, in Wetzel county.

Connections are made at Hickory with the main lines of the old Manufacturers' Light and Heat Company's Washington county line, with the Tri-State Gas Company, the Wheeling Natural Gas Company and the Fort Pitt Gas Company, giving a direct inlet to Pittsburgh and also to the East Liverpool and Steubenville districts through the Royal Gas Company's lines. The 12-mile branch to Sewickley is to be completed early this month, and the 10-inch line to New Castle by December 30.

Boilermakers Want to Get Back.

The special convention called by the various lodges of the Boilermakers and Iron Shipbuilders did not materialize. Instead several delegates from Baltimore lodges and Portsmouth, Va., arrived in the city yesterday morning to consider a proper method to get recognition with the national body. The Baltimore and Portsmouth men were put out of the organization because they refused to pay an assessment of $2 per capita. The Pittsburgh lodge did not pay, either, and its money was kept out through an arrangement as to strike benefits. The meeting continues today and tomorrow.

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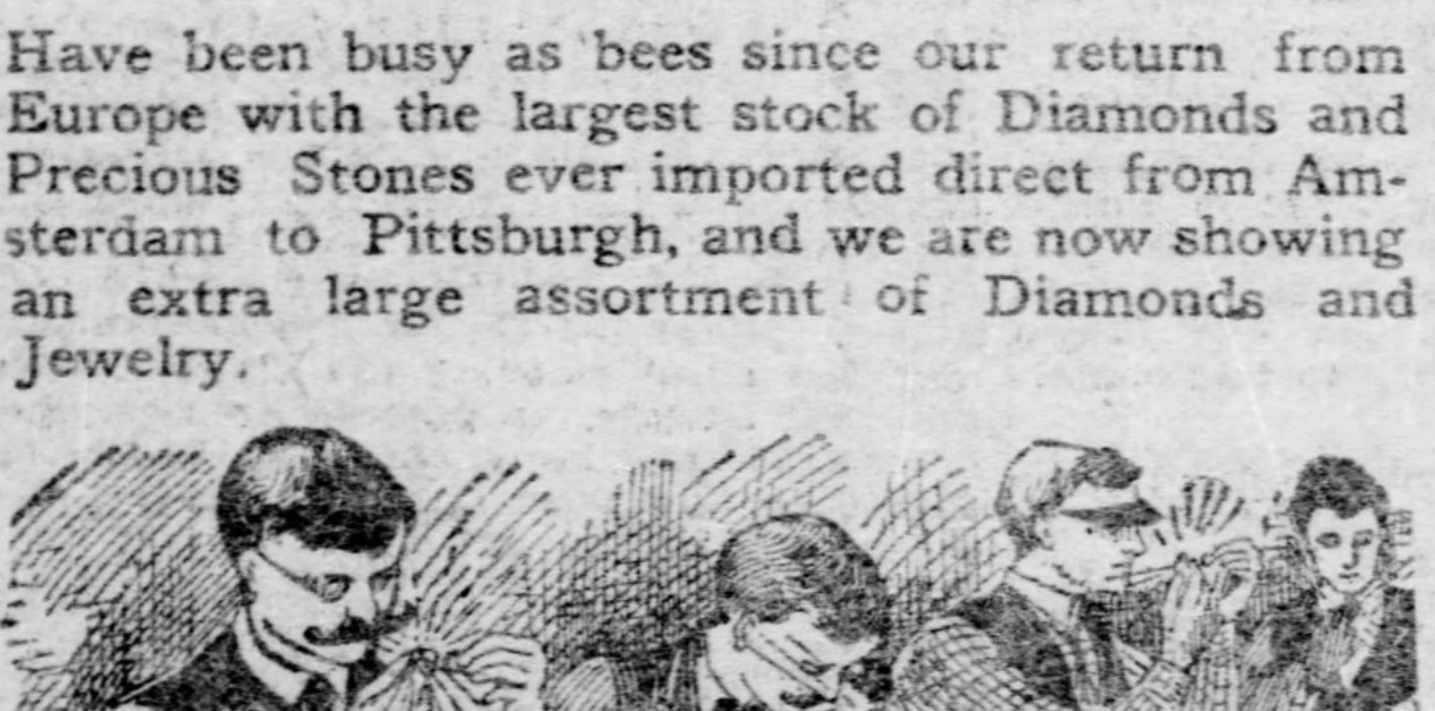

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Handsome Dress or Walking Skirts of Scotch Mixtures, Cheviot or Cloth, from.....$4.00 to $9.00
Ladies Elegant Winter Coats of Wool Kersey in black and tan color, from.....$6.50 to $15.00

DRESS GOODS.

Black Cheviots and Serges, 40 to 50 inches wide from......50c to $1.00
Crepon and Granite Suitings, 40 to 44 inches wide, pure wool, newest colors, per yard at.........50c to 85c
French Broadcloths, 54 inch satin finish, black, blue, tan, red and green, at.....$1.00
New Plaids in handsome color combinations at.....50c
Flake and Novelty Suitings, in all widths and qualities, from 50c to $1.25 per yard.

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Warm Underwear for cold weather, in all wool merino, Camel's hair, natural wool and fleeced for Ladies, Gents and children at special low prices.
Holiday Handkerchiefs in lace, embroidered, hemstitched and silk, in endless variety from 10c to $1.00.

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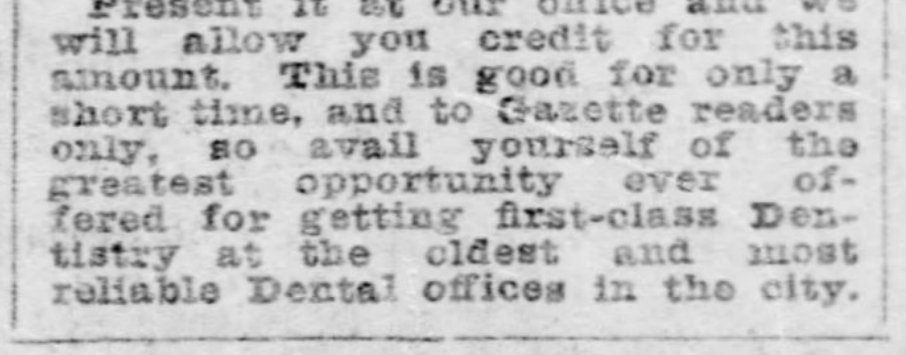

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With Gold Crown FREE.
$5.00 Set of Teeth 50 per cent off $ 2.50

Remember, we give a 25-year guarantee on all Dental Work, thus insuring you the best work.

Our Gauze Aluminum Plates have caused a sensation in dental practice. They are made of the lightest material ever used in plate construction, giving perfect ease and comfort to the mouth.

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The new Savings Bank Calendars will be ready December 15—

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JOSEPH HORNE CO.

Weather—Partly Cloudy. Tuesday, December 1, 1903.

"You've Got Pretty Much of a Store."

A whole-souled, blunt compliment given us yesterday by a gentleman who was being ushered around.

Yes, we have "pretty much of a store," and that's a fact, which puts us in mind to say that it is growing better day by day, just as it grew better day by day in the past.

At present there is a Christmas ensemble and readiness here the like of which was never before seen in this good old smoky town—a collection of Holiday goods which is in keeping with the ideas of Pittsburgers, both as to novelty and variety.

Counting by days there are just four and twenty until Chris starts forth with his nocturnal sleigh and deer (some contend he's going to use an auto this year), and you must be up and doing betimes.

Christmas readiness here in East and West Store from basement to the sixth floor.

Old Dutch Solid Silver.

The patterns exclusive, all the pieces handmade and direct to us from Holland, now displayed in sumptuous variety in our handsome Silverware Department, Main Aisle, East Store.

Why do you reckon our buyer goes away off to Holland for silver novelties? There are plenty of novelties near home. So called—yes. Over there the workman takes a piece of flat silver and he hammers it into shape with a wooden mallet; then he takes his set of chasing tools and laboriously works out the designs by hand. All handmade pieces. Over here the die, helped along by intelligent machinery, does the business.

All these pieces are reproductions of the old Dutch period, or, as some say, the Flemish period of some three hundred years ago, and the collection is a broad one in range, from large pieces at $35.00 down to the little cabinet curio for a single dollar.

In between there are all sizes and shapes, spoons, card trays, trinket trays, snuff boxes, cigarette boxes, tobacco boxes, jewel boxes, pomade boxes, tea bells, sugar baskets and a fine collection of cabinet curios.

The Special Sale of Brass Beds.

'Tisn't often the opportunity is presented to buy a fine brass bed for one-fourth under usual price—'tisn't so very often we get the chance to offer such bargains. We ran across a maker who had quite a lot of Brass Beds, all of them full size, and he sold us them at prices which enable us to put them into the consumers' hands at these reductions—

$20.00 Brass Beds for $15.00
$21.00 Brass Beds for $15.75
$22.50 Brass Beds for $16.75
$23.50 Brass Beds for $18.50
$32.00 Brass Beds for $24.00
$33.00 Brass Beds for $24.75
$35.00 Brass Beds for $26.25
$37.00 Brass Beds for $28.25
$39.00 Brass Beds for $29.00
$40.00 Brass Beds for $30.00
$46.50 Brass Beds for $34.75
$50.00 Brass Beds for $37.50

And if there is nothing in the foregoing that suits your fancy, there are other styles at reduced prices up until you reach the $100.00 Brass Bed for $75.00.

We also have a number of Brass Cribs, 2 ft. 6 in. wide, 4 ft. 6 in. long, bought from same manufacturer, which will be sold at these reduced prices:

$27.00 Brass Cribs for $20.25
$34.00 Brass Cribs for $25.50
$36.00 Brass Cribs for $27.00
$40.00 Brass Cribs for $30.00
$42.00 Brass Cribs for $31.50
$46.00 Brass Cribs for $34.50

When it comes to the practical for a holiday gift, there is the best kind of a suggestion in the above—a brass bed from children to parents, a brass crib from grandparents to the grandchild.

Warm Waists for Cold Weather

It's during just such weather as this that the waist of woolen material presents its most attractive side. And wool waists have been embellished to a degree heretofore unthought of. Style as well as comfort is embodied in every one we show. By the way, these handsome, serviceable waists make most sensible holiday gifts.

For $2.00. Waists of serge, plain colors; wide center pleat flanked by three small pleats on each side and finished with large pearl buttons. Six small pleats down the back—full sleeve and self-stock. The colors are garnet, navy and black.

For $3.00. Waists of albatross—clusters of pinch tucks down the front interspersed with box pleats from neck to shoulder—trimmed with small crochet rings. Tucked back, full sleeve self stock. Such desirable colors, as tan, white, red, yale, blue and black.

For $3.50. Brilliantine is used most effectively in this line. For instance, a waist of navy brilliantine sprinkled with small, white figures—tucked both front and back—full sleeve and self-stock—lined throughout with a light weight cambric.

For $5.00. Waists of Botany flannel, made in the tailor-style, the severely plain front relieved by a tailor-stitched band of silk down center and further embellished with silk buttons—plain back, turn-back cuffs. Comes in such attractive colors as red, light blue, navy, white and black.

For $7.50. Broadcloth is the material used, made in the tailor style—cluster of tucks running from shoulder to waist line, both front and back—shirt sleeves with link cuffs. The color range as follows: black, white, red, gray, cadet and green.

A Day on Third Floor, East Store.

Really it would take more than a day to go through, intelligently, the great assortments of Bric-a-Brac, Cut Glass and other Glassware, the great lines of Art Potteries, and last, but not least, the stupendous collection of China.

Speaking of China, we are free to say such another collection of the less expensive and on through up to the very finest English and French China was never before exhibited in Greater Pittsburg.

For the practical gift, as well as the novelly beautiful gift, this third floor is rich in suggestions.

There are Bronzes from $1.50 up along and up to $175.00.
There are Terra Cotta subjects from $5.00 and up to $100.00.
There are Electroliers from $8.00 up to $200.00.
There is Pompeiian Pottery from $1.50 up to $6.50.
There is artistic Art Glass from $1.00 up to $100.00.
There are Cut Glass pieces from $1.00 up to $100.00.
There are Lamp Shades from $5.00 up to $50.00.
There are China Dinner Sets from $25.00 up to $300.00.

That is enough to give you a desire to look through this fine department and to notice the thousand and one other things apropos of Christmas.

Those Ruffled Net Curtains, $1.25 Pair.

Former prices, $1.75 to $2.00 and $2.50.

This news, given first yesterday morning, created quite a stir throughout the day in the newly enlarged Curtain Department, fourth floor, West Store.

There is plenty of choice left for today. The curtains are finished with lace edges and lace insertions.

The ruffled net curtain plays well its part in setting off a room, and we throw out the hint that it is not at all likely that such low quotations on this class of curtains will again be announced this season.

Men's Smoking Jackets.

One of the staples in gift things for men. Different materials this year, new ideas, and a great range of prices, $6.00 to $65.00.

Now women are always more or less exercised over whether the coat is going to fit him. The fit must be perfect or you're done for. There are two ways of being absolved from error—either one is good. First, bring along his old coat; second, if not an old coat, then get his exact chest measure. By following either rule the chances of exchange after Christmas are minimized.

Above all remember that early selection is best—along about the last days lines are very much depleted, and by that time it is Hobson's choice.

The smoking Jackets are for sale in the Men's Furnishing Department, street floor, East Store.

Her Majesty's Corset.

Women who are heartily sick and tired of the corset that is continually breaking at the hip and having the steels protrude, are invited to inquire into the merits of the new Her Majesty Corset.

These corsets are guaranteed not to bend or break, and the steels are so imbedded in gutta percha that it is impossible for them to break through at the end, as they do in most corsets.

Women will find a full range of sizes in Her Majesty corsets at our Corset Department, second floor, East Store.

Rubbers and Rubber Weather.

You can expect slushy streets from now on for many days to come, and there is no protection like a good pair of rubbers.

Our Shoe Store, street floor, East Store, makes a specialty of Goodyear Glove Rubbers for women, misses and children. Every size of rubber worn.

As rubbers are inexpensive it is hardly worth while quoting prices. You will find them correct.

Hockey Is With Us.

First professional game of the season tonight. Many other teams forming all over the city. And skating is here with a rush. Of course you want to be properly equipped for the sport, whether your inclinations point to skating or hockey. We are prepared to furnish you the hockey shoes of the right sort at the right prices.

All sizes, for boys and girls, $3.50 a pair.

PENN, FIFTH AND CECIL WAY

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 135.)

AN ORDINANCE.—Authorizing and ordering the grading, paving and curbing of Ellis avenue, Tenth ward, from Perrysville avenue to Hawkins avenue, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grading, paving and curbing of Ellis avenue, Tenth ward, from Perrysville avenue to Hawkins avenue, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 19th day of November, A. D. 1903.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., November 25th, A. D. 1903. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 132.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the grading, paving and curbing of Luray street, Tenth ward, from Linwood avenue to Norwood avenue, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grading, paving and curbing of Luray street, Tenth ward, from Linwood avenue to Norwood avenue, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided. The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

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Tuesday, December 1, 1903.

Congressman Acheson has won his point that the Republican nomination in the Twenty-fourth district shall be made next year by popular vote. Washington and Lawrence counties stood with Mr. Acheson on this proposition from the first, but the Beaver county conferees held out for the old system. We are glad the majority counties have been sustained, as we believe the abandonment of the old conferee system and the idea that a congressional district is not a single unit should work benefit to our politics.

More trouble is in sight for Venezuela. A British squadron has sailed from Trinidad to enforce the demand of the British minister at Caracas to know why President Castro has closed the Orinoco river to the commerce of the world. Castro appears to be incapable of profiting from experience. One might think the lesson of the sometime blockade of his ports by England and Germany would have been a lesson to him in international comity. However, it does not appear so, and it is doubtful if another naval demonstration will convince him. It may secure temporary relief.

The prison board has approved the plans for the extension and improvement of the county jail at an estimated cost of $300,000. The extension has been rendered necessary by the increase of crime and the number of prisoners and the internal improvements are demanded to make the county prison thoroughly modern and secure. Now, if the expenditure is made as carefully as that for the first erection of the jail and court house, the county will get full value for its money and will have a prison structure of which the people may be proud. They cannot, however, be proud of the necessity for so great an extension.

The improvement of the Rhine receives the constant attention of the German government, and the increase of traffic upon the river is considered to be a satisfactory return for the care and outlay. During 1902 the total traffic of the river, to which 17 harbors contribute, amounted to 17,413,105 tons. The total tonnage of the Ohio river in its present condition is estimated at 22,000,000, so that the demand for the improvement of the river is amply justified by its commercial importance. If engineering improvement was carried on systematically as in the case of the Rhine, the commerce of the Ohio would be susceptible of enormous increase.

Select council elected a president yesterday under the ruling of the clerk that a majority of the quorum was sufficient for the purpose. There is good reason to believe the ruling sound, and the same majority may transact all other business except, possibly, the final passage of ordinances. The new president, James Smiley Wightman, is a gentleman well and favorably known to the Pittsburgh public. He has long experience in councilmanic affairs and is well equipped for the duties of his position. Being thus organized with a chairman both competent and honorable, it may be hoped that select council will get busy with the city's affairs and quit blockading legislation. The party to which the chairman belongs has a working majority.

Ordinances were introduced in common council providing for a complete new system of street railways from the downtown section to the East End districts. The corporations proffer compensation for the franchises asked, on either the linear foot basis or by paying over a percentage of gross receipts. The president of the several companies also issued a statement promising construction of the system in good faith. In the circumstances there appears little ground for opposition except on the part of the existing traction system or property owners immediately affected. Councils should take care, however, to make the compensation clause perfect, so that it will apply permanently and also to possible successors or assigns and limit the franchises as well.

While London is still the greatest port in the world, New York has become a close second, the total tonnage entered and cleared in 1902 being, respectively, 17,564,108 and 17,398,058. In tonnage cleared New York exceeded London by over a million tons. This does not include coastwise trade, doubtless much heavier in the case of New York than in London. Taking all things into consideration, the tonnage movement of New York harbor probably leads the world. Next in order and closely bunched comes Antwerp, Hamburg and Hongkong. Liverpool falls behind Hongkong by over 2,000,000 tons, leaving out of account the extensive trade carried on in Chinese junks which, if computed, would probably place Hongkong above Antwerp in total tonnage. Before the century is out San Francisco will probably rank as the greatest port in the Pacific ocean, east or west.

Barbarous Proposal.

Senator Deroux, who made a vigorous appeal at Bogota for the ratification of the Hay-Herran canal treaty, has just arrived at Colon from Bogota with a very interesting story of events in the Colombian capital. That part of Deroux's story relating to the committee and the proposal to kill United States Minister Beaupre will attract most attention. It is likely true, for Deroux has no apparent interest in the invention of a falsehood and he is a man of standing in his country.

It is well for Colombia that it did not undertake to murder the United States minister. It could do nothing worse for itself than that, for the United States would be compelled to avenge such an act of barbarism. The mere fact that such a thing was proposed by an official committee reflects great discredit upon Colombia, though it is probably not more than might have been reasonably expected from a state that discussed in open senate the propriety of seizing and confiscating the Panama Canal Company's $40,000,000 worth of property.

In any event, the Colombian committee proposition, rejected as it was, throws considerable light upon the character of the nation the United States had been trying to deal with, and the kind of "national honor" that was wounded by the suggestion of American sovereignty over the canal strip. More than ever it appears to have been good fortune for this country that Colombia refused to ratify the treaty which embodied its own terms for the canal concession, thereby forcing Panama to revolt, create an independent state and begin negotiations on an honorable basis. Colombia would have been a bad partner in the enterprise.

For Sand Filtration.

A petition from the Pittsburgh section of the American Chemical society landed in select council yesterday, praying for the city to adopt sand filtration as the means of water purification and setting forth reasons why it should. This petition is backed by expert authority, for who should know, if not the chemists, what is the best means for purifying our river water? The chemists cannot be charged with having a selfish interest in the matter, for the chemical system—that is, the introduction of alum—might be of some advantage to two or more of them, while the sand process—nature's own way—gives no employment to chemical experts.

The petition comes timely to remind councils of their duty. The Butler epidemic stands at the same moment as a warning, and it should be heeded. The general health of Pittsburgh compares favorably with other centers of population, barring the one malady, typhoid fever. In that particular this community holds a discreditable pre-eminence. It is a matter of the utmost seriousness, and in justice to the city the subject should be taken up in a practical manner and the sand filtration plant pushed to completion. There is no excuse for continuing the terrible reign of death and illness from a remediable cause.

Edward the Peacemaker.

It is interesting if nothing more that the nation whose chief proposed to Europe the formation of the international tribunal of arbitration that has its seat at The Hague is not the nation that is leading in practical efforts to establish the peace of the world. Russia at the moment presents a bristling front to Japan in a dispute over lands that belong to neither, and its one treaty of friendship, aside from its commitment which does not commit to the international arbitration arrangement is with France. But even that is less an alliance of friendship than an offensive and defensive alliance arranged as an answer in arms to the alliance of Germany, Austria and Italy, formed by Bismarck. It is a treaty for war rather than for peace and works for peace only by its menace. While Russia occupies this attitude, inharmonious with the professions of its czar, its one ally has entered into a real peace treaty with another power—a treaty in which there is no question of attack or defense, and no smell of gunpowder or ring of steel, in which there is no question of relations with other powers but which arranges that the parties to it shall submit any differences arising between them to peaceful arbitration. This treaty is the one entered into between England and France.

It must give the ministers of state of Russia, the offensive and defensive ally of France, something to think of when they read that the French premier in a public speech has credited the king of Great Britain with bringing about this new amicable relation between those ancient enemies, France and England. Thus Britain is accorded the honor that might have been Russia's of bringing nearer to general acceptance the principles embodied in the czar's invitation to Europe to arrange for universal peace, principles which Russia has since done little or nothing to further. If France gives England's king the credit for the arbitration treaty that has been arranged between them, then we must take it that Edward's activity at other courts is directed toward the same goal, and we must see the inspiration of his example in the announcement that France is on the eve of concluding treaties of friendship with Denmark, with Sweden and Norway, with Holland and with Italy, such as she has concluded with England.

If the king of England can go into history as Edward the Peacemaker, it will be a prouder title than any in the long list of official titulary designations that follow his name. The declaration of the French premier places him within measurable reach of the honor. The czar, while history will credit him with a noble idea, was merely spectacular. Edward in his efforts has been less spectacular and more practical. But, after all, it is the quality of the people behind these monarchs that has had most to do with their successes and failures. The czar spoke only for himself, and though an absolute monarch, it ended with speech, except as other nations gave effect to his speech. Edward acted instead of speaking, and his people behind him, whom he interprets, gave effect to his acts and the success that has been achieved.

Insect Plague Bearers.

Although the theory that a species of mosquitoes are the agents by which malarial fever is communicated to human beings is still so new that it seems rather grotesque, sanitary measures based upon it have been attended by marked results in reducing the prevalence of malarial fever. This is particularly marked in Havana, where in 1900, the first year of measures against mosquitoes, the deaths from malarial fever were 325. In 1901, the number of deaths declined to 151; in 1902, to 77, and for the first five months of the present year the deaths have been only 21. These results encourage the medical authorities to hope for the ultimate extinction of malarial fever. Similar testimony comes from Hongkong as to the efficacy of mosquito work, a reduction of over 50 per cent in attacks of malarial fever having been accomplished. Mosquito work is now being generally carried on in all tropical countries under European control with good results. At Ismailia, on the Suez canal, where malaria has been a pest, there have been 72 cases for five months of the present year, as against 569 cases for the same period last year.

The scientific commission which has been studying the mysterious sleeping sickness which is almost depopulating parts of Africa, have reached the conclusion that it is analagous to the fatal disease produced in cattle by the bite of the tsetse fly and that a species of fly is the vehicle of the disease just as in the case of the mosquito and the germs of malarial fever. This inference has been corroborated in so many ways that the theory is now regarded as established, and the plague will now be combatted by measures aimed at the flies which are the medium of its transmission. There seems to be no specific cure for the disease itself and its attacks are generally fatal. Its deadliness may be estimated from the fact that in one district a population of 22,000 has been reduced to 8,000 since the outbreak of the disease.

The success of science in ascertaining the causes of tropical fevers may eventually dispel the evil reputation which tropical countries have for unhealthiness. The matter is of particular importance to the United States just now, as the Isthmus of Panama has been one of the worst fever-cursed countries in the world, and there has been an appalling cost of human life for the portion of the canal already constructed. Sanitary administration of the thorough and energetic character which was applied to Havana will doubtless effect a great change in this respect, and it may not be very long after the occupation of the United States before the Chagres fever will have lost its terrors.

Mayor Weaver of Philadelphia declared for the renomination of John W. Davidson, the present receiver of taxes for the city, and Mr. Durham declared himself to be in favor of the nomination of Senator Berkelbach for the place. Mr. Davidson has not declared himself for the nomination of Senator Berkelbach, but he has made the announcement that he will not be a candidate for re-election. While this either complicates a complication or uncomplicates it, the citizens of Philadelphia are unable to gather from the situation that things are likely to proceed to such an extreme that they will be relieved of the duty of paying taxes. Therefore, why worry?

In view of the fact that the New York cabmen have won their strike and that an advancement of higher fares is made, the Philadelphia Press declares: "As cabmen in that city have been in the habit of getting about all people had it is not easy to see how they can get any more." That, however, is the concern of the people who use cabs. Why should the cabman bother himself about it?

We have Sir William Ramsay's word for it that radium changes into helium, but, while the market quotation for radium continues to be $250,000 for one-fifteenth of an ounce, changing the one into the other is not likely to become a fad with the masses until they are able to make good their losses on steel stocks.

From the remarks made by Gen. Reyes since reaching the United States it is to be inferred that an army of 100,000 restorers of Colombian sovereignty over Panama has less enchantment to his view the farther he gets away from it and the more he thinks about it.

While Mr. Cleveland has left a clear field so far as he is concerned, it is to be observed that eminent Democrats are not bumping against each other on a rush to get on the presidential nomination cinder path.

The entertainment provided Mr. Bryan abroad must make him somewhat doubtful as to whether the regions through which he is traveling are to be classified as the enemy's country.

They say that Adaline Patti can't sing as well as she used to, but what's the odds, as long as the people pay as well as they used to, or even better, to hear her try?

While Christmas will not be here until near the end of the month every person is considering the Christmas present.

If Colombia undertakes to march those 100,000 men into Panama it will quickly develop whose funeral it is.

There is an anticipatory smile on the face of the ice man, even while the gas meter goes merrily round.

Colombia's regrets are eternally too late. The thing has been done and the cash belongs to another.

IN THE EYE OF FAME.

The University of Wales has conferred the honorary degree of doctor of science upon Lord Kelvin in consideration of his eminent services to science.

The Rev. F. W. Gunsaulus, D. D., of Chicago, is talked of as a candidate for the presidency of the Boston university. The trustees will meet on December 14.

The earl of Mount-Edgecumbe, who has just reached his seventy-first birthday, has been for the last 40 years one of the closest personal friends of King Edward VII.

The Quiet Observer.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

Let 'em go.

Our young men will get such as is coming to them, or they will manage to get along without them.

And, in all probability, they will be the better off in the end, for there isn't anything else that will effectually spoil the average young man like money, particularly if he comes by it through his wife.

This little outburst was presented by the remarks of a young man who had just read in the papers that Hettie Green had decided to place her daughter under control of a titled lady, and set the two of them up at some fashionable resort, presumably for the purpose of disposing of the girl to the best advantage.

This picture of a girl is quite winsome and the paper says the is of rather a retiring disposition, simple in her tastes and somewhat averse to the fuss and feathers common to fashionable matrimonial marts.

But it was the picture of the countess, or whoever the chosen chaperon is, that raised the young fellow's dander so high. Let us hope the artists have done her gross injustice, the same as they have done to lovely ladies beforetimes.

This young fellow jumped to the conclusion, the same as yourself, maybe, that the girl with her millions on millions, when her mother dies, is to be traded for a title, and her money to go to paying for the debts of some fellow too high born to work, and to restoring some proud and famous old estate run down at the heel, because the owners of it were too proud to do business in a business way, and not able to get rid of the place legally, it having been strapped to them by the law of entail.

It would seem funny to see Mrs. Hetty Green, the woman who has by the exercise of financial talent unusual in woman, sit down at a desk and coldly make over several of her many, many millions to an ordinary sort of fellow, and all because he happened, through no fault of his, nor by any special talent, to wear a title.

It would be funny, in a sense, but yet funnier things than that have happened.

The popular saying, "Old fools are the worst of fools," may occur to you just here. However, that is usually applied to men folks. But why shouldn't it apply to women folks as well? There is no law nor established rule that forbids a like application to both sides of the house.

But then Mrs. Green has always had her way, whether it was Mr. Green's way or anybody else's way. So what's the use knocking about this little affair?

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The girl, judging from her picture, would prefer a decent, respectable, industrious American to any foreign chap, even though he should be loaded down with unearned titles.

Of course, we have to take chances on her having been spoiled in finishing, for a really well-born girl may have her head turned clear around without knowing it. And a girl with her head turned in this way is not a good investment. She is worse than the cross-eyed woman who doesn't do what she looks to do, for if she follows her nose she will go in a direction opposite to that indicated by her toes.

From all such, heaven defend us!

Anyway, when a fellow marries for right purposes and in the way true noblemen marry, he doesn't want to be bothered with such a lot of wealth that he can't think of anything else. Nor is he anxious to play son-in-lay to a rich and powerful mother-in-low—particularly one who is full of business and has ideas of her own. It is peculiar to women of this type to think, and to believe, that their ideas are strictly correct, and that their ways are right ways, which, they further think and believe, gives them the right of way to the exclusion of all other claims or rights.

This sort of thing doesn't suit the well-born, well-educated American young man, for it is a hindrance to progress and prosperity.

So let the Green millions take wings and fly away, away across the sea, and light somewhere where they won't spoil the opportunities of any of our ambitious youngsters.

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It were a blessed good thing if more of the big, unwieldy fortunes piled up in this country were transported, so they would be out of the way of our young men. For when a young man makes up his mind that he would rather marry wealth than earn it, he practically abandons whatever ambition he may have had to become a useful citizen, and to earn a name fit to live.

If successful in his quest for unearned riches his course is usually short. It may be brilliant but the more brilliant the shorter it will likely be.

And there are plenty of young men whose ambition to shine for a brief period is so much greater than the more laudable ambition to live long and prosper in name, that they will give up good positions in order to become subjects of charity, of a sort, and to be made the sport of those who have a moral right, as well as legal, to all their holdings.

So let us give title peddlers free rein, and encourage them in their work, for the poor, sapless scions they represent need the money worse than do our industrious young men. And if these sapless scions should break down under their loads the loss will be less than if it fell on hearty, sappy youngsters.

Anyway our nervy boys will manage to bring back all that is worth having of the fortunes, in a legitimate, business way.

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These title peddlers—or are they brokers?—always have an eye out for a sure thing. In fact they make a sure thing of it before they close the deal.

That is why they have the bride's money made over to them before the marriage ceremony is performed, so that she can have no possible claim on it, no more than if she had never had it. You see, the fellow has the money before he marries her, no matter when he got it, or where it came from.

Should he turn out badly she can pack her trunk and skip back home again, while he remains and has fun at her expense, but not with her money, for it is his very own, she having given it to him on condition that he marry her and allow her to share his title, empty though it be.

They call it a marriage settlement, while it is, as a matter of fact, a bonus given to secure a husband for a wealthy woman, or a wealthy wife for a poor wit of a man, maybe.

It used to be the custom to put up a "dot" with a daughter, but this was at a time when there were fewer men than women, and when money was scarcer than it is now. Even this custom was only a modification of that under which men bought wives and women bought husbands outright, and sold them, too.

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If it is a sure thing you want you can get it easily enough. And what more should any man want, or what more does he need, than a sure thing?

The man who realizes the great fact that he is here for a purpose, makes earnest effort to discover that purpose, and when found devotes himself to it honestly and faithfully, has a sure thing—surer than a fortune in gold. He can do something that needs to be done, and do it well.

Having confidence in God, and in his own integrity, he fears no disaster. Like others he may suffer inconveniences, but knowing that he can recover himself, he calmly awaits the passing of the storm, and is soon busying himself setting things aright and making the best of the situation. He comes out of the wreck smiling, and rises with the new order of things.

The other fellow is comparatively helpless, not being able to help himself.

Therefore, if you want a sure thing, something dependable, get a good grip on yourself and go out into the world with a heart for any fate, and nerve to back you in doing whatsoever you feel assured is right and proper.

Should you meet up with a girl who fills your eye and heart, you will not need to ask her mamma how much she will give you to take her off the market, but deal directly with the girl herself. If she happens to have money you won't allow it to interfere with your happiness then, nor at any time.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Sailed—November 30.

Plymouth—Graf Waldersee for New York.
Lizard—Kroonland from New York for Antwerp; Rotterdam from New York for Amsterdam.
Liverpool—Winifredian for Boston.

Arrived—November 30.

New York—Auriana from Trieste; Victorian from Liverpool; Finland from Antwerp; Astoria from Glasgow.
Liverpool—Armenian from New York; Cymric from New York; Teutonia from Montreal; Roman from Montreal; Parisian from Montreal.
Naples—Furst Bismarck from New York.
Cherbourg—Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse from New York.
Gibraltar—Hohenzollern from New York.

Talked of in New York

GEORGE C. JENKS.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Catherine fish market, which for more than a century was the place of all others in New York where fish could be bought cheap and good, is out of existence. Time was when ladies in sweeping satins passed along Catherine street on their way to or from the Rutgers mansion, which stood within smelling distance of the market. That was in 1786 and thereabouts. The market was built in that year and for a long time afterward the neighborhood was a fashionable one. Today, being so near Cherry Hill, with its "gangs" and other unpleasant features, the society is not so select. That the population is largely made up of foreigners is proved by the fact that it was the multitude of fish peddlers which was the main cause of the market disappearing. Peripatetic fish sellers of many nationalities, Polish and Russian Jews preponderating, were for decades in the habit of selling fish in the streets around the market and they usually offered it at about half the prices demanded by the men in the stalls. People who live on the lower East Side are perhaps a little more sharp in driving bargains than their fellow-citizens in localities where money is made easier and they patronized the push cart men in preference to the merchants in the market. Whether the peddler's fish was as fresh and choice as that vended in the market did not matter so much, provided it was a little cheaper. Trade in the market fell off so alarmingly that many of the stalls could not be rented and at last the city closed it altogether. The last of the old buildings were carted away on Saturday and it is hoped that the municipal authorities will lay out the site as a park—one of a series that are scattered rather bountifully in the tenement districts nowadays.

Light Needed in Theater Alley.

Theater alley is a noisome little crevice at the back of Park Row, running from Beekman to Ann streets. It used to be pressed by the footsteps of Edwin Forrest, Burton, the Booths, the elder Wallack, Sothern, Sr., and others of that notable group of actors and managers. Today it is the resort of small newsboys, while at night there are other characters of less respectability slipping up and down in the shadows, ready to use the blackjack or sandbag, and always on the lookout for the police. There was a holdup in Theater alley on Saturday night. It was done in a businesslike way, one man seizing his victim by the throat, while the other went through his pockets. The alley is interesting as a relic of past times, but modern conditions demand a little more light there and the city will probably put in an extra lamp.

Fire Spoils Tammany Dinner Plans.

Tammany Hall got the first jolt it has suffered since its victory on November 3, when the big Academy of Music in Brooklyn burned down this morning. The testimonial dinner to Senator Patrick H. McCarren was scheduled to be given there tonight. As there were nearly 1,000 invitations issued, it can be understood that if the dinner is to be given some other large edifice must be discovered—by no means an easy task in Brooklyn.

Wild Fowl Find New Home.

There is a pleasant atmosphere for wild fowl in Central park. This is proved by the fact that a flock of wild geese passing over the city yesterday swooped down on the winter quarters of the fowl who live regularly in the park and were so hospitably received that some of the strangers remained there. The rest flew away southward. It is supposed that the cries of the ducks and geese in the park attracted the attention of the voyagers. At all events they came down to see what all the row was about and presumably those that remained are still talking it over.

Will Not Change Headquarters.

It was feared that the "Amen Corner" would be abolished when Gov. Odell became leader of the Republican party in this state. There was some talk of removing Republican headquarters from the Fifth Avenue hotel to the Republican club of New York. The governor today declared that the rumor was groundless and that honored nook in the hotel corridor, known as "Amen Corner," is safe. He is quoted as saying further: "The Republican club is a private institution and it would not care to have hundreds of people not club members running into the clubhouse daily." The Fifth Avenue hotel will continue to be Republican headquarters. It would be sacrilege to move them, even to an aristocratic clubhouse.

Butler in Awkward Plight.

It is a favorite theory of the police whenever the residence of a wealthy family is mysteriously robbed that it is an "inside job." Heaven knows how many innocent domestic servants have been under suspicion in the last 10 years. Now and then, however, the police prove that they know something about their business by catching some trusted servant "dead to rights." The butler arraigned today on the charge of having stolen $20,000 worth of jewels from Mr. Harrison's country seat near Philadelphia on Thanksgiving day seems to be the right man. There is a story that he has confessed. Whether he has or not the circumstantial evidence against him seems to be strong enough to send him to the penitentiary. It is worth noting that whenever a butler steals from his employer he is pretty sure to take booty worth considering. I. Townsend Burden and other wealthy New Yorkers can testify to this effect.

Sea Cooks and the Union Label.

After much labor and deep thought the Sea Cooks' union has come into full being. Passengers who will sail on the ocean liners next summer must see that all the viands bear a union label unless they want to suffer under the horrible suspicion that they are eating non-union products. It may be difficult to get a label on a plate of soup, but it will be easy to skewer it on a slice of roast beef and to stick it to a boiled potato. It may be that some method of burning the union stamp into various dainties when cooking them will be invented. At all events, the sea cooks will surely protect themselves against unorganized competitors and of course all the scullions will be compelled to come in. There is to be a big meeting of such of the cooks as are ashore just now in this city on Thursday night.

Boom in New Jersey Towns.

Manufacture is booming in New Jersey towns within a short ride of New York. At Passaic, the Botany Manufacturing Company will double its capacity. A similar increase is to be made by the American Brake Shoe and Foundry Company at Mahwah. The two plants will employ 1,000 more men than at present.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

Waldorf-Astoria.
Mrs. H. G. Brown,
G. H. Park,
Mrs. E. A. Dilworth,
Mrs. S. H. Dilworth,
J D Lyon,
V. J. Edwards,
W. H. Nimick.

Holland.
William Thaw,
E. M. Ferguson,
Frank Moore,
William Gibson,
R. M. Jennings,
Mrs. Jennings,
R. M. Jennings, Jr.,
Miss Eleanor Watt,
Miss Katherine Kaufmann,
Miss M. R. Ferguson,
Mrs. H. Griffin,
Miss C. A. Painter,
C. A. Anderson,
Thomas Morrison,
Mrs. Anderson,
Mrs. Morrison.

Hoffman.
Charles Thornton.

Victoria.
Levi De Wolf.

Fifth Avenue.
R. T. Maloney,
V. J. Oldshue.

Gilsey.
George Altmeyer,
Peter Altmeyer,
E. Roy,
Mrs. Roy.

Albemarle.
Mrs. Wynn Sewell,
Mrs. J. W. Horne,
W. C. Temple.

Continental.
A. A. Denslinger.

Albert.
W. S. Thownhurst.

Earlington.
Isaac Guckenheimer.

Manhattan.
C. H. Howell,
C. S. Gray,
B. S. Waddell,
A. A. Morris.

Ashland.
W. A. Hadfield.

Raleigh.
D. Johnson.

Normandie.
C. R. Rhodes,
J. McCaffery.

Park Avenue.
Dr. J. A. Lippincott.

Marlborough.
H. Haven,
Mrs. Haven.

Imperial.
J. F. Hutson,
F. J. Shaler,
J. T. Taylor,
C. V. Slocum.

Herald Square.
G. H. Coburn,
G. E. Lorch,
P. B. Eyler,
H. H. Frost,
W. C. Pressing,
Wesley M. Crawford,
H. A. Kister.

Astor.
S. Burbridge,
J. A. Lamp,
H. A. Reed.

Vendome.
C. H. Strafford,
Mrs. Strafford.

Still Lacking.

The automobile which Mr. Bryan was using in England broke down just in sight of his destination. The machine which will carry Mr. Bryan right up to the goal has not yet been invented.—Washington Post.

The Nation's Capital.

L. W. STRAYER.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—The New British ambassador has arrived in Washington and has taken possession of the large and imposing embassy on Connecticut avenue. He is Sir Henry Mortimer Durand and he has been transferred from the post of ambassador to Spain to take the place made vacant by the death of Sir Michael H. Herbert last summer. Sir Mortimer, as he prefers to be addressed, rather than Sir Henry, is rather an unknown quantity to the state department, but since the announcement of his appointment officials here have been looking up his record and they find that while he has avoided the limelight of publicity he has gone ahead and made a success of the duties entrusted to him by his government. Even the attaches at the embassy were obliged to confess that they knew very little about Sir Mortimer when it was first announced that he was to come to Washington. "Burke's Peerage" and "Who's Who" were searched for information concerning this diplomat and in this way it was learned that he was just a plain English nobleman, who had spent 30 of the 53 years of his life in the service of his country and wherever he had been placed had been able to "make good."

Therefore while Sir Mortimer comes to this country as an unknown quantity, practically speaking, yet what little is known of him speaks of his force and ability. He is the son of the late Major General Sir Henry Durand, and received his education at Blackheath and at Eton. In 1873 he was called to the bar of Lincoln's Inn and that same year entered the Bengal civil service. Later he became an attache of the Indian foreign office and served as political secretary to Lord Roberts during the Afghan war in 1879 and 1880. He was foreign secretary in India from 1884 to 1894, and in 1893 he conducted a mission to the Ameer of Afghanistan, a difficult piece of work in which he was eminently successful. His first diplomatic post was as minister to Persia, where he remained from 1894 to 1900. From there he was transferred to Madrid, where he remained until assigned to the embassy at Washington.

New Ambassador an Author.

In addition to his duties in connection with the public service, Sir Mortimer has made something of a literary reputation. He edited the "History of the First Afghan War," written by his father, Sir Henry Durand, and published in 1879. He also wrote the "Life of Sir Henry Durand," published in 1883, and "Helen Treveryan," published in 1891.

But the new ambassador does not pose as a literary genius. He has devoted almost his entire life to the service of his government and his promotions have been based upon his accomplishments. His service has all been in Europe and Asia and the greater part of it in the Far East. It is fortunate for him that he comes to Washington at a time when there are no important questions pending between this government and Great Britain that will require his attention. For the present he will only have the routine matters of the embassy to deal with and this will give him an opportunity to look about and study the situation, meanwhile gaining knowledge of the country and the people among whom his lot has been cast.

Probably the first matter that he will have to deal with will be the appointment of a commission to make a survey of the Alaskan boundary that was decided upon by the commission which recently completed its labors in London. This, however, could scarcely be considered an important matter, since it is but the formal carrying out of a decision that has already been reached.

Canada May Make Trouble.

Another matter that will soon demand his attention is the resumption of the sessions of the joint high commission appointed to consider a reciprocity tariff between this country and Canada. This commission was obliged to delay its work until the Alaskan boundary dispute had been settled and now that it is out of the way an attempt is being made to bring about the re-convening of the commission. Canada is not expected to be in any new hurry to go forward with this work, being rather disappointed at the decision in the Alaskan boundary matter. Sir Mortimer appreciates Canada's feeling and will not attempt to hurry matters with relation to the joint high commission. He is quoted as saying:

"I am sure that in the end Canada will be content, even pleased, with the decision. Of course, the Canadians are at the moment rather sore. It is only natural that they should, having lost their contention. Nations do not like to lose any more than individuals, but Canada will become reconciled to the situation in time.

Is an Ardent Sportsman.

The new ambassador is an ardent sportsman and it is said of him that he played football up until he was 40 years of age. His life in India kept him outdoors to a great extent and this open air life is, no doubt, in a large measure, responsible for his good health at this day. He is six feet tall, and of powerful build, though well proportioned, and is dignified in his manner and speech. From his conversation it is evident that he has kept well abreast of events and is posted upon the questions of the day. In his public utterances since arriving in this country on Saturday he has evinced a keen interest in the Panama canal situation and has expressed the hope that the canal will soon be built and that it will forever remain under the control of the United States. He stated that it has always been his ambition since entering the diplomatic service of Great Britain, to become its representative in America, and he is, therefore, highly pleased to secure the post, although he regrets the death of Sir Michael Herbert, and the fact that the vacancy was brought about in this way.

Spain's Wounds Are Healed.

Another interesting statement from him was the following: "I am glad to be able to tell you that the feeling in Spain toward the United States is now quite cordial. The war wounds are healing rapidly and Don and Yankee may now dwell in comparative harmony together."

Other British Representatives.

Sir Mortimer is the thirty-fourth representative of Great Britain to be sent to Washington, this number including charge d' affairs, ministers and ambassadors. The first envoy to come here was sent by George III, in 1791, and in 25 years from that date, until George IV. ascended the throne in England in 1816, 11 different ministers were accredited to the United States. Under George IV. there were four and under William IV. there were two, Charles Richard Vaughn remaining from 1825 to 1835, when he was succeeded by Charles Bankhead as charge d' affairs until 1836, when Henry Stephen Fox was appointed minister by Queen Victoria. Under Queen Victoria's reign from 1836 to 1893 there were 15 different envoys sent from England to the United States. The first to receive the rank of ambassador was Lord Julian Pauncefote, who was appointed minister in 1889 and who, in 1893, was raised to ambassadorial rank. He remained until 1901, when he died, and was succeeded by Sir Michael Herbert, who died in Switzerland last summer. Since his death and until the coming of Sir Mortimer Durand, Arthur Raikes has acted as charge d' affairs.

Family Will Join Him Soon.

Sir Mortimer's family consists of his wife and one daughter, Miss Amy, who are still in England, but who will sail soon and will probably reach Washington before Christmas. He will tomorrow present his credentials at the state department and arrangements will be made for his early presentation to the president. The post of ambassador to the United States is now considered one of the most desirable in the English diplomatic service, the rank, salary and social status combining to make it a prize worth working for. Sir Mortimer will find a generous welcome awaiting him and everything conducive to a pleasant official regime.

New War Cry.

Ex-Secretary Bliss says the country has more money than it needs. This will doubtless furnish the Democrats with a campaign cry against the too-full pocketbook.—Denver Republican.

Panama's Friendly Acquaintance.

Panama has no navy, but it knows a kind-hearted old gentleman with several boats that he is not using all the time.—Chicago News.

Cleveland's Secret.

Mr. Cleveland has declared in positive terms the he will not be again a candidate for president. His letter would have been still more interesting if he had mentioned his first choice.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The Death Roll.

William Elliott.

William Elliott, 79 years old, a well-known resident of the North Side, died Sunday night at the home of his son, Robert H. Elliott, No. 15 Jackson street, Allegheny. Mr. Elliott had been a resident of the Second and Third wards, Allegheny, for the last 52 years. He was born in County Antrim, Ireland, and after coming to the United States settled in Allegheny. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Maria Elliott; three sons, William D., of the East End; Samuel F. and Robert, the latter being president of the Twin City Art Stained Glass Company; two daughters, Mrs. John Elliott of New Vernon, Mercer county, Pa., and Mrs. Edward Aiken of Allegheny; three brothers, John Elliott of New Vernon, Mercer county, Pa.; Robert of Pittsburgh, and James Elliott of New Zealand, and two sisters, Mrs. Sears of Hubbard, O., and Mrs. Frank Johnston of Falk county, Mo. He was a member of the Reformed Presbyterian church and a prominent member of Division No. 29, L. O. L. Funeral services will be held at his late home at 2 o'clock p. m. tomorrow by the Rev. Dr. Thomas Watters, pastor of the First Reformed Presbyterian church, East End.

Obituary Notes.

Mrs. Robert Allison of New Brighton, Pa., is dead, aged 35. She leaves her husband.

Miss Mary A. Wilson, daughter of Benton W. Wilson of New Wilmington, Pa., is dead at the home of her parents, aged 47.

Mrs. Alice Skeldon, the three-months' bride of Frank Skeldon, a Baltimore & Ohio railroad man, died at the Shenango Valley hospital at New Castle, Pa.

George Lutton, aged 35, is dead at the home of his mother, Mrs. Jennie Lutton, No. 1727 Carey alley, South Side. He was a member of several fraternal orders.

William A. Passavant, aged 33, died yesterday at his home, No. 5606 Second avenue, Glenwood, where funeral services will be held tomorrow at 2 o'clock p. m. He was a member of Glenwood lodge, No. 281, O. R. C., and Glen Hazel lodge, No. 1043, I. O. O. F.

Mrs. Mary S. Gray, aged 87, a former resident of Pittsburgh, is dead at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Armstrong, in Ord, Neb. She was the mother of Mrs. Lizzie Gault, for many years a missionary in Africa, and of Mrs. William D. Alter of Aspinwall.

Simon Otto, a well-known contractor died at Rochester, Pa., yesterday. He was 59 years old and is survived by his widow and five children, Mrs. S. Holland, East End, Pittsburgh; Mrs. E. Hendrickson, Mrs. M. Lloyd, Mrs. Ida Anderie and Charles Otto, of Rochester.

Mrs. Kennedy, widow of W. J. Kennedy, a former employe of the Pennsylvania railroad, is dead at the home of her son, Daniel J. Kennedy, in Youngstown, O. Funeral services will be held at the Catholic church in Youngstown tomorrow morning. Three sons and one daughter survive.

PERSONALS

The annual meeting of the United States Pottery association begins today at Washington, D. C. A party of East Liverpool pottery manufacturers passed through Pittsburgh last evening to attend. They occupied a special car in which were Joseph G. Lee, president, and H. A. Kaffer, secretary of the association. There were 40 delegates from East Liverpool, and about 200 will attend the convention. The pottery association, which was formed over a year ago, met in Pittsburgh several days ago and formulated plans for increasing the membership. Mr. Kaffer said last night that the matter will be considered at the convention in Washington, and he expects that when the workings of the pottery association are made known to the old body every member will be willing to affiliate. Several important subjects are to be considered, most of which bear on the price of new products being turned out by different firms.

A special car was attached to train No. 15 on the Pennsylvania railroad yesterday evening on which was a party of Pittsburghers bound for Chicago to visit the Chicago stock yards. Three special coaches will be required to accommodate the passengers bound for that city tonight. The party tonight will be in charge of Simon O'Donnell.

Now that much of the work on the Wabash entrance into Pittsburgh is about completed, many of the workmen are being sent to various points along the Wabash railroad, where improvements are being made. Fred H. Tristram sent a carload to western points over the Baltimore & Ohio last night.

N. P. Galloway, manager of the Cleveland Baking Company, arrived in the city yesterday on business. He is staying at the Henry. He says the sales of bread have fallen off during the last few weeks, due to the cold weather, which causes the women to bake their own bread rather than tramp through the cold to the store, and partly because flour is somewhat cheaper and better than at any other season of the year.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

The nearby residents registered at the local hotels last night were as follows:

Colonial—D. E. Gearhart, Altoona; James B. Deane, Johnstown; H. F. Batchelder, Steubenville, and S. Young, Springfield.

Anderson—Charles Horn, Titusville; J. A. Reather, Uniontown; R. J. Anderson, Massillon, and H. S. Hays, Morgantown.

Griswold—T. J. McNichols, Meadville; E. F. Collins, Parkersburg; B. Manecke, Wheeling, and G. W. Church, Waynesburg.

Monongahela House—T. M. Hayes, Morgantown; F. Mills, Mt. Vernon; W. R. Johnson, New Castle; George V. Adleman, Franklin, and George L. Claypool, Youngstown.

Lincoln—C. L. Snowden, Brownsville.

Duquesne—A. L. Morgan, Wheeling; G. W. Mourice, Kane; F. W. Cole, Johnstown; T. L. Riddle, Marietta, and W. H. Colvert, Charleroi.

Seventh Avenue—E. E. Stanford, Altoona; William D. Lyon, Mansfield; A. B. Salen, Lock Haven; James E. Nicholson, Steubenville, and M. E. Hauley, Punxsutawney.

Annexation Talk.

There is entirely too much loose talk about annexing this, that and the other territory to the United States. It is not a good thing. Statehood means not merely another star in the flag. It means another factor in the lawmaking and governing of the nation. If statehood for Cuba were to mean simply increased power for Cuba to govern herself there might be no objection to it. But it would mean the investing of Cuba with power to govern New York and Massachusetts and Illinois and all the rest of us. It might mean giving to Cuba such balance of power between the two great parties that her vote would turn the scale one way or the other, and the whole policy of our national government would be determined by the votes of Cubans. We do not think the people of the United States are ready to give such status to that island.—New York Tribune.

Classics Don't Draw.

When a classic play comes along the janitor has an opportunity to scrub up the S. R. O. sign so that it will be nice and bright for the next burlesque.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Weekly Bilious Spell.

The London Saturday Review is quite sure that Uncle Sam is going to the dogs. That feeling comes over the Saturday Review staff every week or two.—Mexican Herald.

IT IS TO SMILE.

Rescuer (who had hauled fisherman out of the river)—Ow did yer come to fall in, mate?
Fisherman—Phew! I didn't come to fall in, you fool, I came to fish.—Judy.

Tingaling—Hello, old chap! Haven't seen you for some time. How's business?
Jogalong—On the jump. I've got three frog farms in Missouri.—Chicago News.

First Sportsman—Good guide, is he?
Second Sportsman—Oh, yes. If necessary, he'll do the shooting and bring home the game and let you say you did it, and thrash anybody that says you didn't.—New Yorker.

First Society Leader—Didn't he preach a beautiful sermon?
Second Society Leader—Perfectly lovely. Why, for two evenings, I didn't wear my diamonds with any satisfaction.—Brooklyn Life.

Fair Visitor—Didums want a pitty dolly, bess his heart
Boston Baby—Merciful heavens! Am I to be inflicted with dialect the very first thing?—New York Sun.

MORE WORK BY NIGHT PROWLERS

Homewood Avenue the Scene of an Exciting Battle in the Dark.

TWO MORE HOUSES ROBBED

A long bright dagger flashing in the dark, a deep burly voice mumbling, "You fooled me once; you can't this time," confronted C. A. Cunningham, 710 Homewood avenue, as he rushed from his room into an upper hallway early one morning last week, responding to cries of "Help!" Cunningham clinched the man with the knife and as they fought and struggled down the stairway he was cut in the face, back and arms. The two men fell near the front door. Cunningham bumped his head rendering him unconscious and the stranger disappeared.

When he regained consciousness a few minutes later, Cunningham was sitting in the open doorway. Seeing the blood, he recalled what had happened, then hurried back up stairs to investigate the cause of all the trouble and the screams he had heard shortly before.

Cunningham is a roomer at the home of Charles Little, in which the encounter took place. Two girls, Pearl Little and Ruby Little were suddenly awakened by someone trying to open their door. They heard the knob turn and both screamed for assistance. This caused the roomer next door to hurry into the hallway. The conflict followed and in the meantime, the girls, afraid to open their door, were badly frightened by what they could hear on the outside. Cunningham told them what had happened. He went downstairs and awakened Mrs. Little, who slept alone. She and several roomers heard the men fall at the bottom of the stairway, but as they heard nothing more they went to sleep again.

The girls say they watched the front door and they did not see anyone leave the house. The presumption is that the stranger waited in the front parlor until all was quiet, then hurried out. Cunningham says the man was a stranger to him; that he was large and had arms like iron. The police at No. 6 station investigated the affair and are now working on the case.

Cunningham is about 35 years old, single, and a foreman at a local belting works. He has roomed at the Little home about five years. Mr. Little says a porch climber tried to enter their house last fall, but was frightened away.

Thieves entered the residence of John R. Lewis, 359 Oakland avenue, sometime Thursday or Friday during the absence of the family and carried away about $150 worth of property. Mr. Lewis, his wife and child were visiting in Indiana county at the time. The robbery was discovered Saturday upon their return home. The house was ransacked, all trunks were unlocked and searched and nothing was overlooked from garret to basement. The thieves stole four new suits of clothes and an overcoat. They piled silverware and other valuables into an old blanket, evidently expecting to carry that away later, but were apparently frightened away. Entrance was gained by means of a jimmy, used on a rear door.

The home of H. C. Brew, 827 Maryland avenue, was entered by thieves last Friday night while the family was away, between 6:15 and 7:30 o'clock. The thieves took a lady's gold watch and other jewelry, valued at about $300.

DIRECTOR'S ENERGY PLEASES CARNEGIE

Work on "Tech" School as Laid Out by Committee Will Be Rushed Along.

With the arrival of Director Arthur A. Hamerschlag here this morning still greater activity in the work preparatory to building the Carnegie Technical schools and equipping them with a staff of business officers and teachers is expected.

The members of the technical schools committee of the Carnegie institute board are back in this city after the conference with Mr. Carnegie and the visit to the trade schools in New York of last week. They are all greatly pleased with the visit. Mr. Carnegie after several hours' talk approved the course adopted and heard in detail the plans that are forming. He has expressed himself as greatly pleased with the energetic methods adopted by Director Hamerschlag from the time the appointment was made. He is eager to see work started in the schools and is said to favor a lecture course or something of the sort for the winter.

As rapidly as possible Mr. Hamerschlag is working out the floor area statistics which will be necessary for the architects to know in making plans for the schools. As soon as these are in shape and the topographical survey of the site is completed the director and the committee will have something definite to give to the architects upon which they can prepare their plans. Nothing can be done in the meantime.

QUARTER INCREASE IN WATER ASSESSMENTS

Supplementary Return Made, and Report Turned in to Director Bigelow.

William Sprague, superintendent of the bureau of water assessment, made a report to Director E. M. Bigelow yesterday showing the supplementary assessment of water rents for the present year. The report, by wards, is as follows:

Ward.	Amount.	Ward.	Amount.
	$ 169 80	13	$ 463 20
	272 50	14	1,534 96
3	2,040 37	15	424 00
4	1,134 25	16	651 00
	330 25	17	221 95
	162 75	18	1,119 60
	390 55	19	649 28
	225 60	20	1,596 24
	23 50	21—1	1,031 50
	24 75	21—2	1,075 89
	283 15	22	711 20
	558 50	23	565 00

This makes a total of $15,982 60 assessed since the yearly report was made in June. Last year the amount of the supplementary assessment was $12,538 65, showing an increase of 25 per cent for this year. Superintendent Sprague says that there were fewer new buildings put up this year than last, and that he had a smaller number of assessors at work. The good showing, he said, is proof that this is the best assessment ever made for the city. The books will be turned over to City Treasurer Frauenheim this morning.

Another Purdue Victim.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 30.—H. O. Wright of Pendleton, Ind., a Purdue student who was injured in the Big Four wreck on October 30, died of his injuries at St. Vincent's hospital today. Wright is the seventeenth man to die as the result of the wreck. His back was broken.

RAILWAY MOTOR WILL BE STUDIED

Men Who Sell the Electric Apparatus for Westinghouse Company Convene.

WILL CONFER AND BANQUET

All this week the men who place on the market the many products of the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing company will be the guests of the company in Pittsburgh, following out an annual custom inaugurated several years ago.

From nearly every important agency for the Westinghouse electric apparatus and machinery there is in attendance a representative. These men will meet at the offices of the company at East Pittsburgh, discuss the methods to be used and obtain careful instruction in the new developments of the past year.

FRANK H. TAYLOR.
Second vice president, Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co.

A specially interesting point will be the discussion of the many unique advantages of the Westinghouse single phase alternating current railway motor. This motor was brought out by the Westinghouse Company over a year ago, and since then practical demonstrations have been made, which led to the opinion of electrical experts that this single phase alternating current railway motor is the ideal apparatus for the operation of long distance electric railways. It is expected to be not only an immediate rival of the direct current motor, now in use, but eventually to entirely supersede that form of motor in all electric railway construction.

The meetings will be held every day, a regular program having been laid out. Some time will be devoted to the inspection of the new addition to the works at East Pittsburgh. This is done to give many of the representatives, especially those who came from long distances, a realizing sense of the constant growth of the East Pittsburgh plant, as well as of the equipment and manufacturing facilities of the factory.

It is customary to close these meetings with a banquet, which is tendered by one of the executive officers of th company to the visitors and to which the heads of the various departments are also invited so that they may meet the district managers. This year's banquet will be held on Thursday evening at the Duquesne club, and will be given by Walter M. McFarland, acting vice president of the company.

Among the managers at the meeting are: J. R. Gordon, Atlanta; W. F. Fowler, Baltimore; R. L. Warner, Boston; C. W. Underwood, Buffalo; T. P. Gaylord, Chicago; C. B. Humphrey, Cincinnati; N. S. Braden, Cleveland; J. E. Johnson, Dallas; C. F. Medbury, Detroit; S. L. Nickelson, Department I, New York; S. J. Keese, Los Angeles; T. Julian McGill, Minneapolis; E. W. T. Gray, New York; F. B. H. Paine, New York Export; C. A. Bragg, Philadelphia; C. S. Cook, Pittsburgh; G. Pantaleoni, St. Louis; W. S. Heger, San Francisco; Paul T. Brady, Syracuse; D. E. Manson, assistant manager, Boston; W. C. Webster, New York; T. F. Dryden, of the Toronto office of the Canadian Westinghouse Company, and H. D. Scribner of British Columbia.

BUTLER CAPITALIST TO MAKE CONCRETE BLOCK

DOVER, DEL., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—A certificate of incorporation was filed today for the Altoona Concrete Construction and Supply Company of Butler, Pa., to manufacture the H. S. Palmer hollow concrete building block and Cochrane cement sand brick. The incorporators are Charles C. Reeder, Butler, Pa.; S. P. Zemiran and William Gaffney, Johnstown, Pa. Capital, $100,000.

LITTLE GIRLS BELONG TO SHOPLIFTING CLUB

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Eight little girls, from 10 to 15 years old, who admit that they are members of an organized stealing club, were in the police court today on charges of larceny of goods from Roxbury and Boston stores. With the shrewdness of hardened shoplifters they have stolen hundreds of dollars worth of articles.

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CONFERENCE ON SHEET STEEL ON JANUARY 10

United States Steel Corporation to Be Represented at the Meeting.

The officials of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers have set January 10 for the convention of representatives of the sheet steel workers, who are to assemble to consider the removal of the limit of output. The independent manufacturers have appealed to the association various times to have the limit removed, or, at least, allow more tonnage to be turned out on each turn, but the association refused to grant their request. Since the last refusal, two months ago, some of the independent manufacturers have broken the association's agreement and have started their plants non-union.

The United States Steel Corporation requested permission to have representatives at the conference. A few of the sheet steel mills of the corporation are governed by the Amalgamated scale, but they are in such a minority that heretofore the officials of the mills have paid little attention to the action of the independent manufacturers.

President Theodore J. Shaffer, who has been confined to his home since his return from Boston, where he attended the American Federation of Labor meeting, left for Reading last night. A meeting will be held there today by the district board to consider the advisability of adopting a uniform scale for all the mills in that district. Before leaving last night President Shaffer said:

"I have been overworked. Instead of attending to all the meetings of the American Federation of Labor I was asked to speak at more than a dozen meetings of other labor organizations. I spoke at New Haven, Fall River, Lynn, Mass., and several other places in the east."

STREET CAR LABOR LEADER HERE TODAY

W. D. Mahon, president of the Street Car Men's National association, will arrive in Pittsburgh today to adjust the differences between the men and the Pittsburgh Railways company. The officials of the company say they will hold a conference any time with representatives of the workmen and listen to grievances. The conservative members of the union are aversed to striking and the indications are that President Mahon will succeed in getting betterments for the men that will prove satisfactory and make a strike unnecessary.

DEATHS.

ELLIOTT—On Monday, November 30, 1903, WILLIAM ELLIOTT, in his 75th year.

Funeral from his late residence, No. 15 Jackson street, Allegheny, Pa., Wednesday afternoon, December 2, 1903, at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

GASSNER—On Sunday, November 29, 1903, at 1:20 a. m., at Mt. Washington, IDA E. NESTLE, beloved wife of Christ. Gassner, in her 48th year.

Funeral services at her late residence, 56 Prospect street, on Wednesday, December 2, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

GRAY—On Sunday morning, November 29, 1903, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Armstrong, Ord, Neb., MRS. HARRY S. GRAY, formerly of Pittsburgh, Pa., in her 88th year.

HALSTEAD—On Sunday morning, November 29, 1903, at her home, Silverville, Butler County, Pa., HELEN PAINTER, wife of Dr. J. L. M. Halstead.

Services this evening at 7 o'clock at the residence; also services at Trinity Episcopal church of Freeport on Tuesday at 2 p. m. Interment at Freeport. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

HAUFF—On Monday, November 30, 1903, at 2:15 p. m., ELMER H., son of Henry and Mellie E. Hauff, aged 20 months and 6 days.

Funeral from parents' residence, 1522 Sedgwick street, Allegheny. Time will be announced later.

HOPPER—On Sunday, November 29, 1903, at 5:40 a. m., MARGARET ROBB, wife of James G. Hopper, in her 36th year.

Funeral services at the residence of her father, John D. Robb, Oakdale, Pa., Tuesday at 12 o'clock. Interment at Melrose cemetery, Bridgeville, Pa. Carriages will meet train arriving at Oakdale at 10:04, city time.

JONES—Suddenly on Sunday, November 29, 1903, at 2 a. m., MRS. CLARA, beloved wife of J. Y. Jones (nee Clara Donely), in her 42d year.

Funeral services at her late residence, Imbrie avenue, below Marshall avenue, Allegheny, on Wednesday at 10:30 o'clock a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited. Interment at 1 p. m.

M'BRIDE—On Sunday, November 29, 1903, at 9:30 a. m., OLIVE LOUISE, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McBride, aged 3 years, 4 months and 2 days.

Funeral services at parents' residence, Montour street, Coraopolis, this evening at 7:45 o'clock. Interment on Tuesday at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

OTT—On Saturday, November 28, 1903, at 11 p. m., MRS. GEORGE F. OTT, aged 73 years, 1 month and 25 days.

Asleep in Jesus. Peaceful rest,
Whose waking is supremely blest;
No fear, no woe shall dim that hour
That manifests the Saviour's power.

Funeral services at her late residence, on West street, Montooth borough, Tuesday afternoon, December 1, 1903, at 2 o'clock. Friends and relatives are respectfully invited to attend.

PASSAVANT—On Monday, November 30, 1903, at 9 a. m., WILLIAM A. PASSAVANT, aged 33 years, member of Glenwood lodge No. 281, O. R. C., and Glen Hazel lodge No. 1,043, I. O. O. F.

Funeral services at the family residence, 5606 Second avenue, near Renova street, Glenwood, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family and members of the above orders are respectfully invited to attend.

STEWART—Suddenly, on Sunday, November 29, 1903, at 1:15 a. m., at Kittanning, Pa., of paralytic stroke, JOHN STEWART, aged 68 years.

Funeral services at the family residence, Kittanning, Pa., on Tuesday evening, December 1, 1903. Interment in Uniondale cemetery, Allegheny, Pa. Carriages will meet train on arrival at 11:15 a. m. Train at Union station Wednesday, December 2, 1903.

(Sharpsburg and Verona papers please copy.)

TUCKER—On Sunday, November 29, 1903, at 4 p. m., MICHAEL, beloved husband of Mary Tucker (nee Banner), aged 30 years.

Funeral from his late residence, Frederick street, McKees Rocks, Pa., on Thursday morning, December 3, at 8:30. Members of C. M. B. A. branch No. 41, and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

WOLFSON—On Monday, November 30, 1903, at 12:30 noon, LEO, only son of F. A. and Sadie Wolfson (nee Van Baalen), aged 6 months and 13 days.

Funeral from parents' residence, 636 Thirty-third street, Herron Hill, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Please omit flowers.

(Chicago and Detroit papers please copy.)

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MESSENGER PROTECTS SATCHEL WITH PISTOL

Man Carrying $140,000 Creates Panic in Broadway, New York.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Because he was carrying $140,000 in a satchel, and was bumped by a small boy, Emanuel H. Kern, 65 years old, a messenger for the Union Exchange National bank, drew his revolver in Broadway today and created a small panic among pedestrians.

Kern and another messenger had been to the Bank of Commerce. They received $140,000 in a small satchel to take to the National Park bank, Fulton street and Broadway.

Walking in the same direction were two 16-year-old boys, Joseph Baron and Frederick Mann. Baron tried to get to the side of his companion and brushed against Kern as he passed. Kern, according to his own admission, struck the boy in the face, knocking him down. Young Baron got up and knocked off Kern's hat. Several men gathered and began to cheer the boy, urging him to strike the messenger again. Kern suddenly put his hand into his back pocket and drew a revolver, which he pointed at Baron. The crowd scattered and Baron dodged behind a post. Kern and the boy were taken to the police station, but neither was held.

FRANK A. PARKER.

Young Minister's First Call.

A special meeting of the Allegheny presbytery was held yesterday and R. E. Phillips, a graduate of the Western Theological seminary, was given a dismissal to the Pittsburgh presbytery preliminary to his accepting a call to the Mt. Pisgah Presbyterian church. Mr. Phillips will be received at a meeting of the Pittsburgh presbytery to be held at the East Liberty church next Tuesday.

Refused to Accept Wage Cut.

William E. Davy, superintendent at the Port Vue tin plate works, and about 24 of the skilled workmen at the plant left the mill yesterday, refusing to accept the 20 per cent reduction. Davy will go to Washington, Pa., to manage a tin mill there. Davy helped to break the recent strike at the mill.

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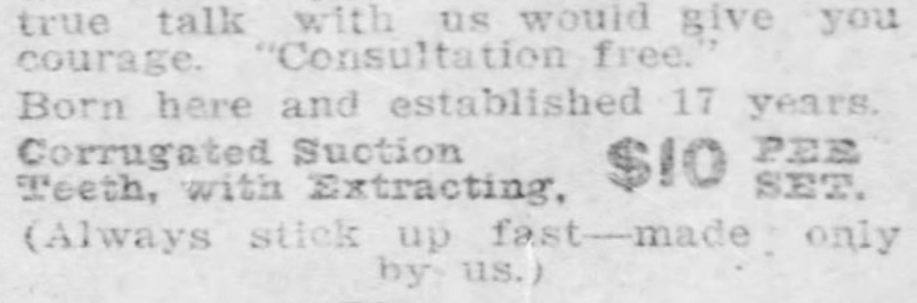

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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 130.)

AN ORDINANCE—Fixing the salary of the general office clerk in the bureau of engineering and surveys.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after August 1, 1903, the salary of the general office clerk in the bureau of engineering and surveys be and is hereby fixed at one hundred twenty-five ($125) dollars per month. Payable out of appropriation No. 10, bureau of engineering and surveys.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 19th day of November, A. D. 1903.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Councils.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., November 25, A. D. 1903. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

WHOLESALE GRAFT AT GRAND RAPIDS

Many Prominent Persons Implicated in Crooked Water Deal.

CITY COUNCILS DEBAUCHED

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., Nov. 30.—The confession of ex-City Attorney Lant K. Salsbury in regard to the notorious water scandal in this city was told today, for the first time in court, at the preliminary examination of State Senator David Burns. It created a sensation on account of the prominent persons it implicates, in addition to the 17 officials and former officials arrested on bribery charges 10 days ago.

The examination of Senator Burns was completely lost in the story of the conspiracy as related by Salsbury. As names of many prominent men were mentioned by Salsbury, and the amount he paid to each for their influence or silence was given, there was a suppressed murmur of surprise throughout the thronged court room.

The persons implicated by Salsbury today and the amounts he alleged they received are as follows:

George R. Perry, ex-mayor, $13,725; J. Clark Sproat, manager Grand Rapids Democrat, $3,333; R. A. Cameron, New York, $500; State Senator David E. Burns, $200; Alderman McCool, $500; Alderman Ellen, $350; Alderman Depagter, $350; Alderman Muir, $500; Alderman Kinney, $350; Alderman Donovan, $500; Alderman Phillips, $1,000; Alderman Johnson, $350 or $400; Alderman Stonehause, $350; Alderman Lozier, $500; Alderman Shriver, $350; Alderman Mol, $350; Alderman Chysels, $350; Alderman Hodges, $500; Alderman Slocum, $500; Cory I. Bissell, $500; J. Russell Thomson, reporter on Evening Press, $500; Isaac Lamoreaux, ex-city clerk, $1,500; State Representative Van Zoeren, $350; State Representative Vandercook, $60; E. B. Conger, manager Grand Rapids Herald, $10,000; Thomas F. McGarry, a prominent attorney now in Florida, $7,500; C. S. Burch, manager of the Evening Press, $5,000; Dudley E. Waters, ex-president of the board of public works; Dr. Uilke de Vries, ex-city physician; George Ellis, a local broker; Samuel M. Lemon, collector of internal revenue, and William H. Anderson, president of the Fourth National bank.

Six separate water conspiracy deals were on in Grand Rapids at one time, according to Salsbury's sworn testimony. In addition to the Henry Taylor $100,000 Lake Michigan water deal, he testified, there were five other strings out, from each one of which thousands of dollars were hanging. Every one of these six sets of men who put up or offered to advance a corruption fund were dupes, so Salsbury says, of himself, Perry, McGarry and Sproat.

Pat Flynn of New York he names as one of those at the head of one scheme. The men interested in the Hydraulic Water Company are named as the backers of another deal, in Chicago. Then there was a Milwaukee deal, in which he said Contractor Loss of Chicago was interested, the Omaha deal, in which the Barton millionaires are said to have put up $5,000, and the Gillespie deal.

On top of all these, Salsbury implicates Revenue Collector Samuel M. Lemon with a deal, charging Lemon with coming to him with a proposition to buy the council after having bought the mayor for $10,000. D. H. Crow of Grand Rapids and Moses Crow of New York are also mentioned in connection with one of the deals.

SIBLEY WILL RECEIVE AN IMPORTANT PLACE

Franklin Congressman to Be Chairman of Committee on Manufactures.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—It is reported that Representative Sibley will be given the chairmanship of the committee on manufactures. Representative Steel of Indiana was chairman of this committee in the last congress and was not re-elected. Representative Emerson of New York, who was the ranking member of the committee, was also not re-elected, while Representative Gill of Ohio, who was the third member of the committee, was re-elected but resigned. Mr. Sibley was a member of the committees on post-offices and postroads and insular affairs.

Mr. Sibley today recommended the appointment of W. F. Streeter, postmaster at Medirun, Elk county.

Ex-Senator William Flinn was in Washington today on his way to North Carolina. He called on Senator Penrose. Fred W. Edwards was also here today and saw Senator Penrose and Representative Dalzell with reference to the bill which will be introduced in the regular session of congress re-establishing the position of appraiser of customs at Pittsburgh.

Florence O'Neill and John A. Brashear left here tonight with General Miles, who is to speak at the Crucible club dinner tomorrow night.

L. W. STRAYER.

GUARD AGAINST THIEVES.

Wealthy Residents of Allegheny Do Not Depend on the City's Police.

Wealthy residents of Ridge avenue, whose houses are between Irwin and Grant avenues, are making arrangements to protect their homes from burglars without the aid of the Allegheny police. The robbery of several houses in that vicinity recently has caused some alarm and the encounter with Williams, the colored thief, who robbed the residence of Attorney Thomas W. Bakewell a week ago yesterday, brought matters to a crisis. Residents of Ridge, Lincoln, Grant and Irwin avenues [illegible] together and now a private detective guards their homes.

The man selected is A. W. Bentel of 1319 Esplanade street. Bentel will do patrol duty during the night and the residences of those who have banded together for mutual protection will be connected with Bentel's home by wires. An alarm can be sent at any time, and the opening of a window or door in any of these houses after a certain hour will be known instantly in Bentel's house.

BIG MUNICIPAL QUARREL.

Lack of Harmony Between Coraopolis Burgess and Police.

Burgess Harry Moore of Coraopolis and his police are at loggerheads and the officers, instead of reporting their cases to the burgess, are making informations before Justice of the Peace John Hamilton. It is alleged that Chief of Police McCutcheon has a charge of disorderly conduct pending against the burgess.

Burgess Moore states that the police are depriving the borough of the money which naturally should be received through fines and costs. He also declares that several robberies have occurred and that the police are not competent to take up the cases. On the other hand the police say that it is a matter of record that the burgess refused to hear cases against certain offenders, and to protect themselves they were obliged to make informations before the justice.

Women to Caricature Masons.

The women of the Calvary Presbyterian church, Braddock, will give an unique entertainment this evening at the church. The first half of the program will consist of literary and musical numbers and the second will be by the "Sister Masons." The program will include a solo by Frank Stevenson, violin solo by David Browdy, soprano solo, Misses Maud Bishoff and Emily Larkins; recitation, Miss Beryl Schaum; organ solo, Prof. Floyd J. St. Clair; solo, William H. Brown; pantomime, Miss Beryl Schaum; solo, Mrs. Margaret Furlong-Moore. Among the young women who will assist in the second half of the program as "Sister Masons" will be Miss Sarah David of McKeesport, Miss Maude Corns, Mrs. Fogal G. Bishoff, Miss Mary Speer, Miss Blanche Crozier, Mrs. George Smith, Mrs. Viola McClure, Miss Anna Soles, Miss Daisy Flickinger, Mrs. S. Edmunds, Miss Lary Isenberg, Mrs. L. H. Bishoff, Mrs. John Jennings and Miss Zora Crozier.

BISHOP ESTABLISHED A PRECEDENT HERE

Disappointed Catholic Priests at a Concursus for a Vacant Rectorship Must Go on Re-Examination on Their Next Application.

A new departure, of interest to every Catholic priest in the Pittsburgh diocese, has been established by Bishop Richard Phelan. The absence of a precedent led to the peculiar complication that at the first concursus for the vacant rectorship of St. Andrew's church, Allegheny, no competitors appeared, while at the one held yesterday four priests underwent the examination. One of the four probably will be appointed by the bishop today at the meeting of the council, which is to be held in the Epiphany parish house.

The need of the precedent had not been felt in this diocese since the Baltimore council was held, for never before until lately had two irremovable rectorships become vacant within such a short period. The St. Peter's (Allegheny) rectorship became vacant on account of the resignation of Father E. A. Bush. It was filled after a competitive concursus, but shortly afterward St. Andrew's rectorship was vacant through the death of Father Carroll and somebody had to be selected to fill it. Therefore a concursus was called for November 19, but nobody appeared and another was called for yesterday.

The fact that no competitors appeared at the concursus held on November 19 was due to a peculiar misunderstanding. Years ago the Baltimore council of bishops adopted the rule that, when a concursus for a vacant rectorship was held, those who passed the examination should be eligible to the next vacant rectorship. When, therefore, Bishop Phelan announced the last concursus the priests of the diocese felt a delicacy about offering to compete because they knew that those priests who had passed the examination for the vacant rectorship of St. Peter's church and had not been appointed were eligible to the St. Andrew's vacancy. The three priests thought that according to the rule established in Baltimore they were eligible to St. Andrew's without re-examination, and therefore they did not attend the concursus.

The Baltimore rule is not, however, a hard and fast regulation, for the bishops have wide discretion in the matter. So after the concursus that had no competitors Bishop Phelan let it be known that the rule was supposed to apply to the western dioceses containing large stretches of territory, for in those districts it would be a hardship for priests to go long distances to be examined every time a vacancy might occur. Those conditions, the bishop thinks, do not apply to the Pittsburgh diocese, a compact, well-settled district with good transportation facilities, and so that every priest entitled to compete might have the opportunity if he desired Bishop Phelan threw the concursus open.

Priests who passed the examination at one concursus without securing an appointment, are not eligible to the next vacancy without re-examination. Two of the priests who successfully stood the examination for Father Tobin's place appeared at yesterday's concursus.

PENNSY FIREMEN ARE IN SESSION

Formulating Agreement for the Retention of Old Pay for New Hours.

HAVE HAD NO SUCCESS YET

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Press Building,
PHILADELPHIA, PA., Nov. 30.

A secret convention of officers of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen of the lines of the Pennsylvania railroad is in progress in this city. Since Monday of last week about 20 delegates, representing the different districts, have been in session and it is said they may be in the city for an indefinite length of time.

The firemen have asked for the same pay under the new schedule of nine hours a day work as they received when they worked 10 hours. Conferences with officers of the railroad have failed to produce any result, and, although no definite information is obtainable, it is thought the firemen have called the delegates together to take up this question and determine the course which shall be pursued to obtain what they demand.

The greatest effort has been made to conceal every act of the convention, and it was not until last night that the presence of the firemen in this city leaked out. S. G. Glassburn of Uniontown, Pa., who is chairman of the convention, refused absolutely to talk upon the matters under discussion by the delegates.

CHESTER D. POTTER.

STORE DAMAGED $300.

Overheated Stoves Caused Three Fires Last Night.

Fire destroyed about $800 worth of stock and did $200 worth of damage to the store of Hyman Srolovitz at 803 Fifth avenue, last night. The fire was discovered in the rear room on the first floor, occupied by Srolovitz as a wholesale and retail women's furnishing store.

An overheated stove at the home of Henry Jackson, colored, in Broad street, East End, last night caused a small blaze by setting fire to the woodwork.

A small fire at a house at Shady avenue and Howe street last night caused by a gas stove setting fire to the floor, did little damage.

Prof. Paul E. Flautz Is Dead.

Prof. Paul E. Flautz, a well-known resident of McKeesport, died at his home, No. 415 Walnut street, after an illness of several weeks, of typhoid-pneumonia. He was a native of Germany, having been born there 36 years ago. He removed to McKeesport six years ago. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Emma M. Flautz, and an infant son. He was a member of the German Evangelical Protestant church and of the Odd Fellows.

WELL-KNOWN DOCTOR DIED IN LAWRENCEVILLE

DR. GEORGE B. ACKER, JR.

Dr. George B. Acker, Jr., aged 35, a well-known physician of Lawrenceville, died suddenly yesterday morning at his home, 178 Forty-third street, after a short illness of pneumonia. He was graduated at the Western University of Pennsylvania with the class of '97. Dr. Acker is survived by his mother, Mrs. Amanda Acker, and two sisters, Mrs. Lizzie McBriar, and Mrs. Lottie Ingram. He was a son of the late George B. Acker, formerly a roll turner. Dr. Acker was a member of the Butler Street Methodist Episcopal church, the Masons, Knights of the Maccabees, Protected Home Circle, Heptasophs, Daughters of Liberty and the Junior Order United American Mechanics. Funeral services will be held at his late home at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow.

HARD FIGHT FOR LIFE.

Nail Inspector With Ordinarily Fatal Injuries Suprises Physicians.

With his lower jaw broken, nose crushed, right arm broken in two places and his skull fractured, W. J. Noel, nail inspector at the Rankin works of the American Steel & Wire Company, is dying at the Mercy hospital. The accident, leaving Noel in this condition, happened Saturday, and since that he has been conscious only a few times. Physicians regard his fight for life as remarkable. Noel was injured while assisting a workman throw a belt to a tighter pulley. He was hurled several feet against another machine as the belt was tightened. Noel is 35 years old, married and a resident of Sheraden.

Church Supper.

Next Thursday evening the women of the Arch Street Methodist Episcopal church will give a supper from 6 o'clock until 8, in the church parlors, Arch and Diamond streets, Allegheny. During the evening they will sell ice cream and cake and home-made candies.

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The wonderful success of this closing sale of our wholesale stock of pianos and organs is accounted for wholly by the fact that the best and highest class instruments are being closed out at the greatest bargain prices ever offered to any people.

While practically all the instruments we are closing out at this sale are brand new pianos taken from our warehouse, where we kept them to ship out to country agents, yet we have quite a number of instruments left that were rented a short while or taken in exchange.

So it scarcely matters how little you desire to invest in an instrument, we believe that if you act quick—come before this sale closes or the instruments are closed out—we can certainly please you.

The collection of pianos from which to select at this sale could not be better. The Hallet & Davis, Kimball, Steinway and Chickering Bros. pianos are of the very highest order. Choose any one of these and you get the best that the piano makers' art produces. Then there are other fine pianos here that you will make no mistake in buying. We do not now nor have we ever carried a piano unworthy personal recommendation and guarantee.

Beautiful new Cabinet Grand Uprights in handsome colonial and other latest styles, that agents and dealers sell regularly at $425, $450, $500 and $550. Sale prices to close, $268, $298, $317 and $347. Terms, $15 to $25 or more down, $8 to $10 per month, or cash.

New Cabinet Grand upright pianos, various standard makes, former prices $325, $350 and $375; sale prices to close out surplus stock, $193, $217 to $327. Terms, $10 to $25 down, $6 to $10 monthly, or cash.

Extraordinary bargains are offered at this sale in brand new, thoroughly good and fully guaranteed upright pianos, in plain but pretty mahogany, English oak and walnut cases. Agents and dealers' former prices, $250, $275, and $300. Sale prices to close surplus stock, $125, $157, to $173. Terms, $10 to $15 down, $5 to $8 or more monthly, or cash.

Fine bargains are offered in pianos, some of which are new, some taken in exchange on Chickering Bros., and Kimball pianos, and some are only slightly shopworn, being in the hands of our country agents a short while, as follows:

A $350 Kurtzman upright, walnut case, like new; sale price, $150.

A $325 Whitney upright piano, like new, $145. Payments $5 monthly.

A $425 Kimball upright, used in studio short while; only $248. Payments, $8.

A $400 Chickering, fine condition; now only $155. Payments, $6 monthly.

A $500 Steinway upright, fine condition, $240. Payments.

A $300 Sterling upright, as good as ever; dark oak case; sale price $125. Payments, $6 monthly.

A $350 Hardman upright, now $110. Payments.

Hale upright, good shape, only $75. Other second-hand uprights for $65, $90, $110, to $153. Payments, $4 to $7 monthly.

New and used Organs to close at $10, $18, $23, $37, to $63; $5 to $6 down, $3 to $5 monthly.

Square pianos, in good shape, for $25, $37 to $56 for best; worth three times the money. Payments to suit purchasers.

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Removal Sale

THE REMOVAL SALE which we announced yesterday, and to which you are most cordially invited, presents an opportunity of special interest to the consumer, as it is the first time during our career of more than forty years in the furniture business that we have ever deemed it necessary or judicious to cut any of our prices.

We have at all times offered only such furniture as we could guarantee. After marking it with prices based on the smallest profits we could afford to take, we never once deviated from the original price-marks, for the reason that the furniture sold readily and was appreciated both for its merit and for the money that the purchaser saved in the purchase of it.

But at present we are confronted by a condition which forces at least one change in this well known policy. Before we can leave the "old business homestead" which we have occupied for more than forty years, but now outgrown, and where we have made so many friends, we must reduce the size of our stock, because after the new building, 635 and 637 Smithfield Street is made ready for us there will not be sufficient time between then and the date we must vacate our old building to transfer without great loss exhibits as large as the ones we now have.

All of our furniture is marked with plain figures. A line is drawn through the former prices and under these are the cut prices. The splendid holiday stocks are included with the staple goods at the cut prices. Prices on the furniture which has remained longest on the floors have been cut the deepest, without any regard as to whether it is any less or any more desirable than the later arrivals. Some few bedroom pieces that are out of style (there are only a few) will go at such reductions as will be exceptionally interesting to proprietors of hotels or persons who do not care for style, and may desire to buy to match other furniture.

We will cheerfully make delivery as late as January 1st, 1904, any purchases made at this sale, and assure prompt delivery of holiday goods. But, although we would willingly do so if we could, it will not be possible to hold for a later delivery than January 1st.

CHAMBER SUITES.

No.		Former Price.	Sale Price.
68	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$180	$110
152	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$135	$ 95
120	Mahogany, 2-piece, reduced from	$125	$ 80
32	¼ Sycamore, 3-piece, reduced from	$ 85	$ 45
16	¼ Sycamore, 3-piece, reduced from	$ 75	$ 40
1,002	Curly Birch, 3-piece, reduced from	$135	$ 95
23	Bird's Eye Maple, 2-piece, reduced from	$ 60	$ 30
8	Birch, 2-piece, reduced from	$ 80	$ 45
141	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$ 95	$ 70
67	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$150	$110
321	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$180	$125
74	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$150	$100
66	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$175	$115
84	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$145	$110
232	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$160	$125
94	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$175	$135
50	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$250	$175
1,850	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$ 65	$ 40
150	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$140	$ 95

ODD DRESSERS.

No.		Former Price.	Sale Price.
31	Oak, reduced from	$ 65	$ 50
245	Oak, reduced from	$ 75	$ 60
70	Oak, reduced from	$ 55	$ 40
828	Oak, reduced from	$ 55	$ 38
827	Oak, reduced from	$ 32	$ 25
46	Oak, reduced from	$ 60	$ 45
926	Oak, reduced from	$ 35	$ 25
229	Oak, reduced from	$ 65	$ 45
222	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 60	$ 45
840	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 50	$ 35

ODD DRESSERS.

No.		Former Price.	Sale Price.
784	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 75	$ 60
911	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 50	$ 35
654	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 50	$ 38
927	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 70	$ 50
1,226	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 50	$ 35
908	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 60	$ 45
907	Mahogany, reduced from	$100	$ 80
2,609	Mahogany, reduced from	$115	$ 95
1,602	Mahogany, reduced from	$140	$100
609	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 65	$ 50
129	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 60	$ 45
1,628	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 80	$ 60

BOOKCASES.

No.		Former Price.	Sale Price.
493	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 40	$ 22
74	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 35	$ 20
13	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 45	$ 30
11	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 75	$ 55
73	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 15	$ 10
74	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 42	$ 30
8	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 35	$ 25
174	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 25	$ 17
12	Solid Mahogany, reduced from	$ 60	$ 45
31	Solid Mahogany, reduced from	$ 85	$ 70
189	Solid Mahogany, reduced from	$ 65	$ 50
10	Imitation mahogany, reduced from	$ 50	$ 35
210	Imitation Mahogany, reduced from	$ 40	$ 28
737	Imitation Mahogany, reduced from	$ 30	$ 20
735	Imitation Mahogany, reduced from	$ 15	$ 10
93	Imitation Mahogany, reduced from	$ 40	$ 22

LEATHER CHAIRS.

No.		Former Price.	Sale Price.
33	Turkish, reduced from	$ 65	$ 50
508	Turkish, reduced from	$ 75	$ 60
38	Turkish, reduced from	$ 65	$ 50
35	Turkish, reduced from	$ 60	$ 45
36	Turkish, reduced from	$ 65	$ 50
672	Turkish, reduced from	$ 65	$ 48
390	Turkish, reduced from	$ 60	$ 48
636	Oak Arm Chairs, reduced from	$ 50	$ 35
369	Oak Arm Chairs, reduced from	$ 50	$ 36
669	Oak Arm Chairs, reduced from	$ 45	$ 30
63	Mahogany Arm Chairs, reduced from	$ 50	$ 35
727	Mahogany Arm Chairs, reduced from	$ 55	$ 40
674	Mahogany Arm Chairs, reduced from	$ 45	$ 30
19	Mahogany Rockers, reduced from	$ 35	$ 20
70	Mahogany Rockers, reduced from	$ 45	$ 35

PARLOR SUITES.

No.		Former Price.	Sale Price.
793	3-piece, reduced from	$ 60	$ 40
758	3-piece, reduced from	$ 65	$ 40
412	3-piece, reduced from	$ 90	$ 50
950	3-piece, reduced from	$100	$ 60
322	3-piece, reduced from	$ 90	$ 60
467	3-piece, reduced from	$ 85	$ 60
6,150	3-piece, reduced from	$ 55	$ 35
511	3-piece, reduced from	$ 80	$ 50
514	3-piece, reduced from	$ 60	$ 45
388	3-piece, reduced from	$ 45	$ 30
146	Oak, 3-piece, Leather—reduced from	$150	$120
420	Mahogany, 3-pce., Leather—reduced from	$130	$100
513	Mahogany, 3-pce., Leather—reduced from	$135	$100
320	Mahogany, 3-pce., Leather—reduced from	$175	$125
902	Mahogany, 2-pce., Leather—reduced from	$ 80	$ 50
962	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$ 95	$ 60
629	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$ 55	$ 35
516	Mahogany, 2-piece, reduced from	$130	$100
4,007	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$190	$150
1,153	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$ 90	$ 75
305	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$ 90	$ 50
1,111	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$ 75	$ 50
528	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$ 95	$ 60
718	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$125	$ 90
871	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$ 95	$ 65
411	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$190	$125
437	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$ 80	$ 60
538	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$ 80	$ 65
926	Mahogany, 2-piece, reduced from	$115	$ 85
720	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$125	$ 65
641	Mahogany, 3-piece, reduced from	$175	$125

PARLOR TABLES.

No.		Former Price.	Sale Price.
158	Reduced from	$ 15	$ 10
157	Reduced from	$ 12	$ 8
156	Reduced from	$ 14	$ 8
258	Reduced from	$ 12	$ 7
255	Reduced from	$ 22	$ 15
89	Reduced from	$ 12	$7.50
58	Reduced from	$ 10	$ 7
557	Reduced from	$ 12	$ 7
8	Reduced from	$ 10	$ 6
86	Reduced from	$ 20	$ 12
67	Reduced from	$ 20	$ 11
16	Reduced from	$ 22	$ 15
51	Reduced from	$ 20	$ 15
37	Reduced from	$ 25	$ 15
69	Reduced from	$ 25	$ 18
83	Reduced from	$ 50	$ 35
44	Reduced from	$ 22	$ 15
75	Reduced from	$ 20	$ 15
28	Reduced from	$ 45	$ 35
61	Reduced from	$ 45	$ 30
34	Reduced from	$ 45	$ 28
97	Reduced from	$ 30	$ 18

3-PC. CHAMBER SUITES

No.		Former Price.	Sale Price.
1,613	Oak, reduced from	$145	$115
98	Oak, reduced from	$115	$ 75
11	Oak, reduced from	$ 75	$ 55
823	Oak, reduced from	$ 50	$ 35
802	Oak, reduced from	$ 65	$ 45
836	Oak, reduced from	$ 65	$ 50
61	Oak, reduced from	$125	$100
932	Oak, reduced from	$ 95	$ 75
91	Oak, reduced from	$105	$ 85
829	Oak, reduced from	$100	$ 80
814	Oak, reduced from	$ 60	$ 40
228	Oak, reduced from	$ 50	$ 35
235	Oak, reduced from	$ 45	$ 30
836	Oak, reduced from	$ 65	$ 50
35	Oak, reduced from	$ 65	$ 40
234	Oak, reduced from	$ 35	$ 25
822	Oak, reduced from	$ 42	$ 30

PARLOR CABINETS.

No.		Former Price.	Sale Price.
509	Gold, reduced from	$ 85	$ 65
590	Gold, reduced from	$ 80	$ 60
436	Gold, reduced from	$140	$110
58	Mohogany, reduced from	$ 70	$ 50
211	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 80	$ 65
77	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 45	$ 30
75	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 40	$ 25
177	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 35	$ 25
71	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 45	$ 30
62	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 55	$ 40
175	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 25	$ 15

BRASS BEDS.

No.		Former Price.	Sale Price.
40	Reduced from	$ 40	$ 30
245	Reduced from	$ 70	$ 55
227	Reduced from	$ 90	$ 70
281	Reduced from	$ 80	$ 60
198	Reduced from	$ 80	$ 62
212	Reduced from	$ 75	$ 55
242	Reduced from	$ 70	$ 50
114	Reduced from	$ 65	$ 45
895	Reduced from	$ 90	$ 65
255	Reduced from	$ 90	$ 70
220	Reduced from	$ 42	$ 30

DAVENPORTS.

No.		Former Price.	Sale Price.
246	Mahogany or Oak, reduced from	$ 35	$ 23
247	Mahogany or Oak, reduced from	$ 35	$ 23
70	Mahogany or Oak, reduced from	$ 50	$ 35
642	Mahogany or Oak, reduced from	$ 55	$ 40
84	Mahogany or Oak, reduced from	$ 55	$ 38
586	Mahogany or Oak, reduced from	$ 60	$ 45
94	Mahogany or Oak, reduced from	$ 85	$ 72
1,586	Mahogany or Oak, reduced from	$ 50	$ 33
682	Mahogany or Oak, reduced from	$ 50	$ 33
680	Mahogany or Oak, reduced from	$120	$100
852	Mahogany or Oak, reduced from	$ 90	$ 72
406	Mahogany or Oak, reduced from	$140	$110

SIDEBOARDS.

No.		Former Price.	Sale Price.
741	Oak, reduced from	$180	$140
962	Oak, reduced from	$190	$150
1,620	Oak, reduced from	$115	$ 85
842	Oak, reduced from	$125	$ 90
432	Oak, reduced from	$180	$110
583	Oak, reduced from	$ 70	$ 50
372	Oak, reduced from	$ 65	$ 45
54	Oak, reduced from	$ 65	$ 48
505	Oak, reduced from	$ 50	$ 40
491	Oak, reduced from	$ 45	$ 35
602	Oak, reduced from	$ 90	$ 40
704	Oak, reduced from	$ 55	$ 30
706	Oak, reduced from	$ 65	$ 40
45	Flemish, reduced from	$135	$100
142	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 90	$ 55
143	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 90	$ 50

BUFFETS.

No.		Former Price.	Sale Price.
72	Oak, reduced from	$ 45	$ 25
2,089	Oak, reduced from	$155	$130
3,125	Oak, reduced from	$130	$105
2,031	Oak, reduced from	$115	$ 95
2,092	Oak, reduced from	$140	$115
1,097	Oak, reduced from	$125	$100
3,133	Oak, reduced from	$120	$ 95
3,202	Oak, reduced from	$130	$110
3,126	Oak, reduced from	$ 95	$ 75
1,426	Oak, reduced from	$ 70	$ 55
1,332	Oak, reduced from	$ 80	$ 60
1,416	Oak, reduced from	$ 70	$ 50
400	Oak, reduced from	$ 50	$ 30
1,439	Oak, reduced from	$ 55	$ 40
358	Oak, reduced from	$ 30	$ 20
2,009	Oak, reduced from	$ 50	$ 35
337	Oak, reduced from	$ 15	$ 10
22	Oak, reduced from	$ 25	$ 15
1,428	Oak, reduced from	$ 45	$ 30
3,254	Oak, reduced from	$145	$125
518	Oak, reduced from	$ 55	$ 35
62	Oak, reduced from	$ 55	$ 30

CHINA CLOSETS.

No.		Former Price.	Sale Price.
38	Oak, reduced from	$ 75	$ 55
81	Oak, reduced from	$ 75	$ 60
21	Oak, reduced from	$100	$ 80
42	Oak, reduced from	$ 60	$ 45
37	Oak, reduced from	$ 60	$ 40
30	Oak, reduced from	$ 45	$ 30
73	Oak, reduced from	$ 40	$ 28
60	Oak, reduced from	$ 52	$ 40
97	Oak, reduced from	$ 65	$ 48
43	Oak, reduced from	$ 70	$ 55

CUT GLASS CABINETS.

No.		Former Price.	Sale Price.
40	Reduced from	$ 75	$ 58
25	Reduced from	$ 45	$ 33
208	Reduced from	$ 90	$ 75
31	Reduced from	$ 45	$ 32

HAT RACKS.

No.		Former Price.	Sale Price.
342	Golden Oak, reduced from	$165	$110
436	Golden Oak, reduced from	$130	$100
898	Golden Oak, reduced from	$120	$ 95
45	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 55	$ 40
36	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 55	$ 44
60	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 45	$ 35
39	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 35	$ 25
18	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 35	$ 24
44	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 25	$ 15
48	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 30	$ 20
480	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 45	$ 28

SETTLES AND RACKS.

No.		Former Price.	Sale Price.
43	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 42	$ 30
34	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 35	$ 25
300	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 42	$ 32
60	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 40	$ 30
46	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 25	$ 18
11	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 75	$ 60
736	Antwerp Oak, reduced from	$ 95	$ 70
37	Antwerp Oak, reduced from	$ 30	$ 20

LIBRARY TABLES.

No.		Former Price.	Sale Price.
87	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 65	$ 48
29	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 45	$ 30
40	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 35	$ 25
64	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 35	$ 24
67	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 45	$ 36
39	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 45	$ 35
8	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 35	$ 20
22	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 25	$ 15
53	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 60	$ 45
32	Mahogany, reduced from	$ 45	$ 33
15	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 32	$ 20
68	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 25	$ 18
44	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 25	$ 14
53	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 40	$ 28
87	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 45	$ 32
32	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 40	$ 35
61	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 30	$ 20
83	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 25	$ 18
67	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 35	$ 20
37	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 22	$ 15
53	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 20	$ 14
93	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 33	$ 18
14	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 10	$ 8
28	Golden Oak, reduced from	$ 40	$ 25
30	Antwerp Oak, reduced from	$ 18	$ 10
21	Antwerp Oak, reduced from	$ 20	$ 15
321	Antwerp Oak, reduced from	$ 30	$ 20
41	Antwerp Oak, reduced from	$ 50	$ 38

ANOTHER BATTLE HAS BEEN EVADED

Senator Berkelbach Withdraws from Fight for Tax Receiver.

THE NEW MAN PLEASES ALL

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau,
Press Building,
PHILADELPHIA, PA., Nov. 30.

In the withdrawal today of Senator William Berkelbach, candidate for the Republican nomination for receiver of taxes, complications in the local political situation would seem to be removed.

Berkelbach was indorsed by Insurance Commissioner Durham and the Republican city organization. He was opposed by Mayor John Weaver. The mayor refused to recede. So did Mr. Durham, and the prospects of a battle seemed bright.

Then someone incited an attack upon Mayor Weaver for his part in agreeing to bail remission in the ballot box fraud cases. Weaver blamed the organization. Publication of the mayor's letters revealed the fact that he had acted in conformity with local precedents. The people generally condemn the practice, but refused to crucify Weaver.

This afternoon Berkelbach, in a letter sent to the Republican city committee, announced his withdrawal. Ill health was the cause assigned. It is true the senator was sick this fall, but he is growing stronger daily, and a week ago informed The Gazette correspondent that he would stay in the fight to the finish. It is not believed that he would have retired for anyone except Mr. Durham. State Senator John T. Harrison is now slated for the place. He is backed by Mr. Durham, who will line up every ward leader for him. Mayor Weaver is also pleased.

"As a citizen, I see no objection to Senator Harrison. As mayor, I am taking no part in politics." Then the mayor smiled. It was a conservative method of expressing his satisfaction over what he no doubt regards as a victory for himself—as a "citizen," not as "mayor." Few give the same interpretation to the result.

CHESTER D. POTTER.

BROOKLYN THEATER DESTROYED BY FIRE

Democratic Dinner Was to Have Been Held in Academy of Music Tonight.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The historic Academy of Music, the largest and best-known playhouse of Brooklyn, was entirely destroyed by fire this morning. The flames broke out on the stage shortly before 9 o'clock while a gang of men were preparing for the dinner which was to have been given in the Academy tonight to Senator Patrick H. McCarren in recognition of his services to the Democratic party in Brooklyn at the last election. Within an hour there was nothing left to mark the spot save blackened and crumbling walls.

It is supposed that the electrician wiring the building for tonight's dinner got some of the wires crossed. Among the buildings endangered by the fire were those of the Manufacturers' Trust Company, the Peoples Trust Company, the offices of the Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company, the Continental Fire Insurance Company, the public library, the Hamilton club and the Mechanics bank. The residence of Hugh McLaughlin, formerly the Democratic leader of Brooklyn, was on fire several times.

As soon as the ruins were cool firemen and policemen began to search for the body of a boy named John Dunne, supposed to be in the debris of the cafe next door to the Academy. This boy was seen to go into the building just before the wall of the Academy fell in and buried it. He had been assisting in carrying out property and the policemen who were on the spot believe that he was unable to escape.

SUPREME TRIBUNAL SUSTAINS EIGHT-HOUR LAW

Kansas Contractor on Public Work Loses His Case on Appeal.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—The United States supreme court today affirmed the constitutionality of the eight-hour law of the state of Kansas, regulating labor on public works. Justice Harlan said, in handing down the opinion of the court, that if the statute is mischievous the responsibility rests with the legislators and not the courts. Chief Justice Fuller and Justices Brewer and Peckham dissented.

The Kansas law whose validity was called into question in the suit, was enacted in 1891 and provided that eight hours should constitute a day's work for workmen employed by or on behalf of the state, or by any county or city or other municipality in the state. It also prohibits contractors from requiring laborers engaged on work for the state to perform more than eight hours' labor in a day. Both fine and imprisonment are provided for violation of the law.

The case decided today was that of W. W. Atkins vs. the state of Kansas. Atkins had a contract with the corporation of Kansas City, Kan., for paving a street, and he was charged with requiring a workman named Rees to labor 10 hours a day. He was prosecuted in the state courts where the decisions were uniformly against him.

The opinion was based on the theory that all the municipalities of a state are creatures of the state; that the work for them is of a public character and does not infringe on the personal liberty of anyone.

"M. QUAD" WINS SUIT.

Miss Billings' Claim for Unpaid Salary Not Allowed by Court.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—A judgment in favor of Charles B. Lewis, better known as "M. Quad," the humorist, was given today by Justice Bennett of the Twelfth municipal court, in the suit brought against him a week ago by Marie Aileen Billings, to obtain $60 back pay for her services as secretary and private critic. Miss Billings said that Lewis engaged her for $25 a week to write four short funny stories for him and produced letters in court to establish her claim. In these Lewis called her "Kid" and signed himself "Dad." At one time he took actual steps to adopt her, but found that she was too old.

Lewis said that he had formerly paid Miss Billings for collaboration but he now owed her nothing. He testified that he had bought furniture for her and paid many of her doctor's bills. Lewis is about 70 years old.

GREAT FLEET TO GATHER IN CARIBBEAN SEA

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—The fleet which is to gather for the January maneuvers in the Caribbean, will be the strongest American fleet that has ever come together in those waters. Among the ships engaged will be the following: Battleships—Kearsarge, Maine, Alabama, Massachusetts, Illinois, Iowa and Texas; monitors—Florida, Nevada, Arkansas; armored cruiser—Brooklyn; protected cruisers—Olympia, Atlanta, Minneapolis, Columbia, San Francisco and Newark; cruisers—Dixie, Yankee, Prairie, Detroit and Montgomery; gunboats—Nashville, Newport, Castine, Bancroft, Topeka, Gloucester, Vixen, Scorpion, Hist and Wasp.

Two Killed in Train Wreck.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 30.—Two men were killed and one was fatally injured in a collision between an eastbound freight and a work train on the Norfolk & Western railroad east of Portsmouth today. The dead are Engineer C. C. Mitchell and Fireman Frank Sullivan. Both engines were demolished. The property loss is $40,000.

HARLEM CLAIMED BY 17,000 HEIRS

Ancient Charter Granted by King George Is Basis of Their Demand.

5,000 HOLD MASS MEETING

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, Nov. 30.

After an adjournment of 100 odd years, the incorporation of New Harlem was convened in public meeting at the Harlem Casino today for the purpose of protesting against the "civic crime" by which the defendants, heirs and assignees of the original Harlemites were excluded from their rights in all the property in Harlem.

The original corporation of New Harlem was created by a British king, who by charter gave them their leasehold of several thousand acres of land, now covered by the famous Harlem flats. The original corporation held forth for a brief period in a big hut. After a number of years the incorporators became inactive and later died. Four generations have passed and the descendants and heirs multiplied to the number of 40,000.

One of this number, Henry P. Toler, discovered a trace of the original corporation. He reviewed it, looked it over, looked it up, and, lo and behold, discovered that he and his 39,999 cousins by right and title, owned the whole of Harlem. He communicated with 17,000 of the 39,999 cousins, informing them that they were all entitled to a slice of the $1,000,000,000 worth of property a certain King George of Great Britain had passed along to their ancestors.

There were fully 5,000 of the 17,000 heirs clamoring at the doors of the Harlem Casino this morning an hour before Mr. Toler opened the meeting. It took an hour and a half to pass them into the meeting hall, and they all had to be identified, tagged and enrolled.

A squad of police crowded the entrance and stairway leading to the meeting hall. So great was the congestion in the corridors that the tide of heirs had to march in single file.

The meeting hall was jammed, but the single file of incoming heirs reached back around downstairs, turned and twisted about the lobby, wound out in Seventh avenue, where the crowd was swelling to large proportions.

It was a representative gathering, representative of Harlem, modern and ancient. Many of the heirs tottered in on canes and gave attention with ear trumpets.

When the Seventh avenue end of the single file learned that the hall was packed the women began to politely fight each other for a chance in the line and the police were powerless to protect them until the doors were finally shut and locked. What happened behind the double locked doors may be told later in a suit at law to oust the present Harlem "squatters."

FRANK A. PARKER.

BUT HALF OF THE SUM HAS BEEN SUBSCRIBED

Reorganization of Consolidated Lake Superior Company Looks Dubious.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 30.—P. F. Rothermel and Joseph Junkin, attorneys for the Moffly committee, which is engaged in the reorganization of the Consolidated Lake Superior Company, were in New York today to confer with Attorney Dos Passos, who represents the company here, and Speyer & Co. It is hoped this firm will agree to take part in the underwriting of the reorganization, and induce some others interested in the loan to do the same.

The last day of depositing stock in accordance with the reorganization plan is tomorrow. It is said that the deposits by that time will be from 600,000 to 750,000 shares, representing from $1,800,000 to $2,225,000 on the assessment. In addition to this it is said that over $2,000,000 has been subscribed to the underwriting, making in all $4,000,000, or over raised, or about one-half contemplated by the reorganization lines.

A meeting of the reorganization committee is called for Wednesday, when complete figures from the Fidelity Trust Company and Canadian and New York representatives are expected to be ready for consideration. The street expects that the plan will be declared operative this week.

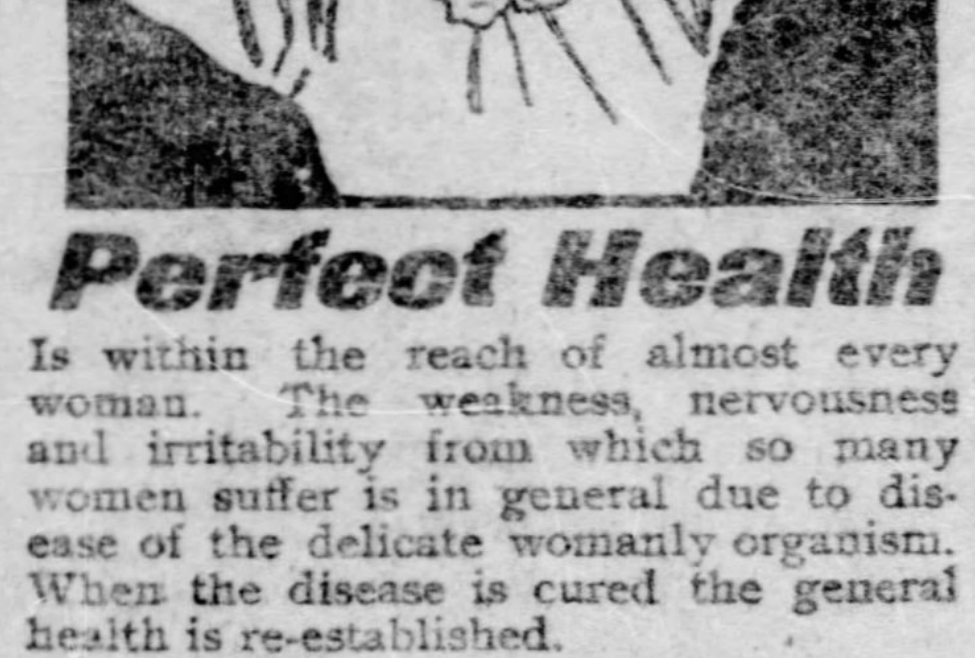
CHESTER D. POTTER.

ALLEGHENIAN SHOT HIMSELF AND MAY DIE

Winifield Brooks, aged 45, is in the St. John's General hospital, Allegheny, in a dying condition, the result of a self-inflicted bullet wound. After eating lunch yesterday at the boarding house of Mrs. Julia Edwards, No. 1230 Franklin street, Brooks who has been ill for several weeks, went to his room and shot himself. The bullet pierced the brain. Brooks has been employed in the Fort Wayne railroad shops for 18 years.

Knapp's Life Lengthened.

HAMILTON, O., Nov. 30.—The circuit court has granted the motion for a stay of execution of the sentence of death passed upon Alfred A. Knapp for the murder of his wife. The execution was set for December 11, and a stay has been granted for 30 days.



Perfect Health

Is within the reach of almost every woman. The weakness, nervousness and irritability from which so many women suffer is in general due to disease of the delicate womanly organism. When the disease is cured the general health is re-established.

Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong and sick women well. It promotes regularity, dries disagreeable and enfeebling drains, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness. When these diseases are cured, headache, backache, nervousness and weakness are cured also.

"I was very weak and nervous when I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and 'Golden Medical Discovery,' about a year ago," writes Mrs. M. E. Everetts, of 89 Oxford Street, Woodstock, Ont. "I had been suffering for seven long months, and had taken medicine from a physician all the time, but it seemed to make me feel much worse. My stomach was so bad (so my doctor told me), and my nerves were in such a state that I would start at the least noise. I felt irritable at all times; was not able to do any of my own housework; had to keep help all the time. How I suffered God and myself alone know. I was greatly discouraged when I commenced taking your medicines, but the first bottle seemed to help me. I took five bottles of 'Favorite Prescription,' two of 'Golden Medical Discovery,' also two vials of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. I can highly recommend these medicines to all who suffer as I did. I never had better health than I now enjoy, and it is all owing to Dr. Pierce's medicines."

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, in paper covers, is sent *free* on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay expense of mailing *only*. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

REPUBLIC STEEL PASSES DIVIDEND

Western Element on Board of Directors Dictates Policy in Disbursement of Earnings.

GATES SUCCEEDS BELMONT

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—John W. Gates was elected a director of the Republic Iron and Steel Company today and the announcement was made of the postponement of the usual dividend on the preferred stock. Mr. Gates succeeds August Belmont, who resigned. It is current rumor for some weeks past that Mr. Gates and his friends had agreed to supply the company with funds to acquire a wire mill at Youngstown, O., and increase its capacity so that it would become a competitor of the United States Steel Corporation. Part of this rumor was to the effect that the passage of the preferred dividend was one of the conditions of the loan, because it was not seemly for a company to borrow money and at the same time pay dividends.

There was a difference of opinion between the easterners and the westerners on the board. The eastern element was led by George R. Sheldon, who favored the payment of 1 per cent for the quarter, instead of the regular quarterly disbursement of 1¾ per cent. Mr. Sheldon, who was backed up by the easterners, insisted that it was not fair to innocent holders of the preferred stock, who depend upon the dividends for their income, that these payments should be stopped entirely. The western directors won out and the following official statement was made by President Thompson:

"In view of the present unsettled condition of the iron and steel industry the directors deem it their duty to the stockholders to husband the company's resources and to increase its financial strength, and for these conditions decided to postpone the declaration of the usual dividend. The properties of the company are free from bonded indebtedness and the quick assets of the company are largely in excess of all its liabilities. The preferred shares being cumulative all dividends in arrears wil be paid as soon as a change in the conditions will permit. Since the organization of the company more than $6,000,000 has been expended for entirely new construction which will give the company largely increased earnings as soon as the iron industry resumes its normal condition."

In the stock market today Republic Iron & Steel preferred was very heavy, but seemed to be held at around 40 by sheer strength. As the outstanding amount of preferred stock is only $20,000,000 at this price the total preferred capital represents only $8,000,000. There has been spent for new improvements $6,000,000 since the company was organized and it is claimed that the property of the company in Alabama is easily worth $7,000,000, the Mesaba iron mines about $7,000,00, and the various plants in Ohio in the neighborhood of $5,000,000. Of course, it is charged these valuations were made in boom times, but it is a positive fact that $7,000,000 was offered and refused for the Alabama properties alone and that not very long ago.

PENROSE DECIDES ON POPULAR VOTE

Method Will Be Used to Nominate Congressional Candidates in 24th. District.

ALL PARTIES ARE SATISFIED

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau,
Room 10, Postal Building,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 30.

The manner of nominating candidates for congress in the Twenty-fourth district was settled today by deciding to adopt the popular vote plan. A meeting was held this morning in Senator Penrose's committee room. There were present at the conference the following: From Washington county, Thomas M. Pentecost, chairman Republican county committee; W. F. Penn, county recorder; John G. Hall, John L. Stewart; from Beaver county, John A. Elliott, Beaver Falls; Arthur C. Townsend, New Brighton; J. B. McClure, Beaver; J. Henry Geer, chairman Beaver county Republican committee and member state committee, New Brighton; from Lawrence county, the Hon. John B. Brown, New Castle; J. G. Martin, chairman Lawrence county Republican committee, New Wilmington; H. B. Brooks, member state committee, New Castle.

Senator Penrose recommended the adoption of the popular vote plan, giving all candidates the right to announce in each county in the district in accordance with Republican rules. It was also suggested that the primaries for the nominations for congress shall be held on the third Saturday in May and, except in years in which it is necessary to elect state or national delegates, in which case the primaries are to be held at such time as the congressional committee of the respective counties shall determine; said congressional committee to be composed of the Republican county chairmen of the three counties comprising the district.

This was all embodied in a resolution, together with a plan for casting and computing the vote. The conference adopted the recommendations of the state chairman. By this decision the popular vote plan will rule so long as the district is comprised as it is at present. The congressional committee later decided upon March 19, 1904, as the date for holding the next primaries.

Representative Acheson and his friends, who had contended for the popular vote plan, were well pleased at the decision of Chairman Penrose and that the matter had been settled definitely and without any apparent ill feeling.

L. W. STRAYER.

Arrested Under Order 800.

Three women were arrested yesterday afternoon on charges of illegal liquor selling. They are Carrie Sheridan, No. 36 Second avenue; Frances Adams, No. 38 Third avenue, and Lena Meyers, No. 528 Third avenue.

No Substitute,

not even the best raw cream, equals Borden's Peerless Brand Evaporated Cream for tea, coffee, chocolate, cereals and general household cooking. It is the result of 45 years' experience in the growing, buying, handling and preserving of milk by Borden's Condensed Milk Company.

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BODY BRUSSELS
Room-Size Rugs

$16

Size 9 feet by 12 feet.

A price you've never heard of before. Pattern rugs, with the borders woven on. Quite a variety to choose from. Patterns adapted for any room in the home as well as for offices. $16 this week, for Cash or on Credit.

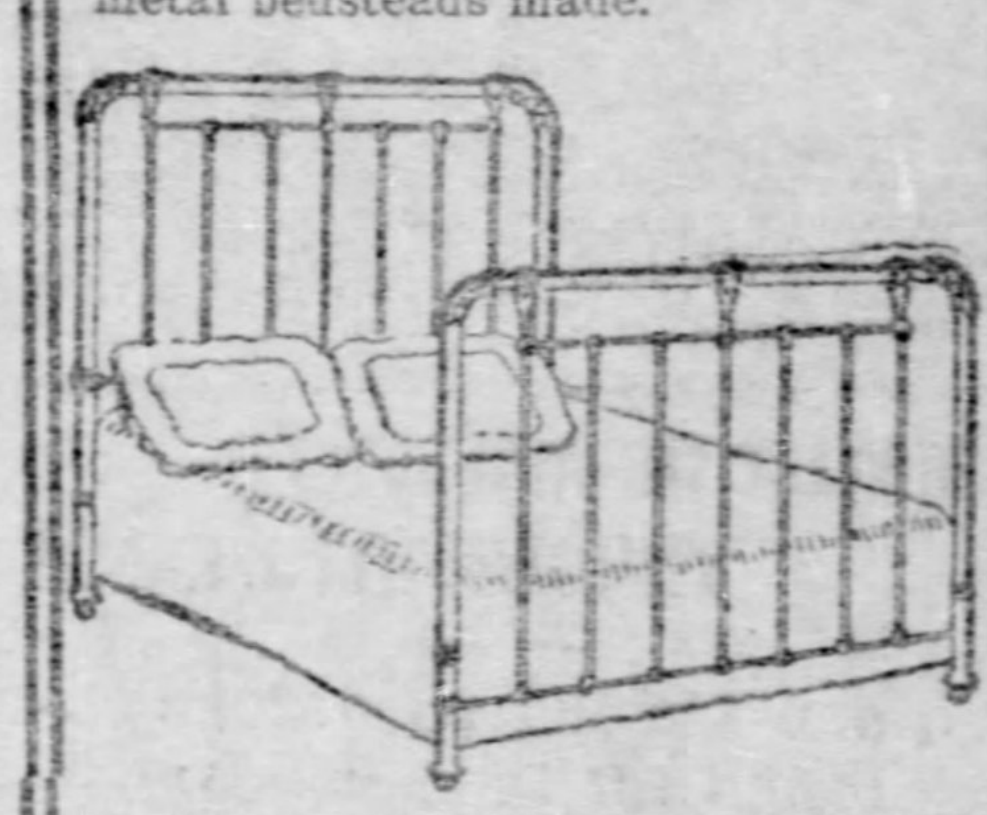
BERNSTEIN METAL BEDS

$12 BERNSTEIN IRON BEDSTEAD

Made in three pieces—head, foot and spring. Absolutely rigid. Easy to take apart or set up. Green enameled. Bernstein beds are sold exclusively by us in this part of the state. The highest quality metal bedsteads made.

$17 BERNSTEIN IRON BEDSTEAD

A handsome design with fancy bent brass scrolls. Like all Bernstein beds it has three coats of enamel. Each coat separately baked on. The bed spring, which is a part of the bed is guaranteed 5 years against sagging or breaking.



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$1.50 to $15.00

Light-givers — everyone of them. New, handsome styles. Prices lower than you'll find anywhere else.

BEDDING
Genuine Cotton Felt Mattress..... $10.00
White Cotton Mattress........... $6.50
Soft Top Mattress............... $1.45
Blankets $3.50 and $5.00.
They are two remarkable values.

Keech's Furniture Makes Happy Homes.
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Oriental Rug Sale

Holiday Linen Sale

HORNE-STEWART Co
DRY GOODS

Tuesday 1 December 1903

Today we tear the November leaf from the calendar and from now on store life will revolve around the Christmas thought—not open evenings for two weeks yet.

The Holidays and Other Days

But there are other days to think about and work-a-day wants and every-day matters are no respecters of seasons and your stores duty begins and ends with supplying all demands of everybody.

The Consumers League

It Makes Suggestions Concerning Christmas Shopping in the Interest of the Employes.

[From Chronicle Telegraph.]

In view of the approach of the Christmas season the Consumers' League has sent out a thousand postal cards to residents of the two cities and their immediate vicinity making suggestions for the Christmas shopping. The members of the organization have the interest of the clerks and storekeepers at heart, and advise those to whom the postals are sent that they attend to holiday shopping early in the month, to avoid overworking the clerks in the last few days before Christmas. It is also suggested that shoppers go early in the mornings to avoid late deliveries of goods and that they carry small packages with them, instead of asking to have them delivered. The card says that if the suggestions are carried out a merry Christmas will be assured to many who in the past have not been able to enjoy the holiday.

Helpful Shopping Hints

Help Yourself and Help the Store at the Same Time

1. Shop early in the month as suggested by the Consumers League.
2. Shop mornings and, as advised by the Consumers League, carry small parcels with you if possible.
3. Use the transfer or shopping card for your own convenience as well as to lessen store labors and chance of error—they get all your purchases together.
4. Give full name, not mere initials, to salespeople, and be sure salespeople get your full address.

An Important and Deep Dress Goods Cut

We own some exclusive patterns in High Grade Imported Novelty Suitings and we are to sell them this way:

$30.00 Patterns for 20.00
$25.00 Patterns for 18.00
$24.00 Patterns for 16.00

They were made for the fine tailored suits. There are no two alike—you see the importance of a quick move on your part.

Other Dress Goods Specials Tuesday

Whether you want them for personal use or whether you want them for a gift you probably never have had an opportunity to do better than you can do Tuesday at your store—shop early.

33c All Wool French Flannels. All our plain colors in all wool French Flannels. Regular 50, 60 and 65-cent goods for 33c.

44c All Wool French Challis in plain, stripes, figures and floral designs—all the pretty tints and colors. Our Regular 50 and 60-cent qualities for 44 cents the yard.

44c All Wool Waistings in plain and fancy stripes, full range of all the new shades. Our regular 60 and 65-cent line for 44 cents the yard.

75c All Wool Suitings, 48 to 52 inches wide, all the wanted shades, Tweeds, Canvas Cloths, Zibelines and Basket Cloths. A Good Dollar Value.

1.50 Black Broadcloth. Beautiful Black Broadcloth with a high satin finish. Our Regular 1.50 Number 1.25

Fancy Black Suitings for the shirtwaist, shirtwaist suit and the separate skirt. Regular 75, 85 and 1.00 Goods.. .... 50c

Fisk, Clark & Flagg

You have waited patiently but we have been impatient enough to announce the arrival of the new Fisk, Clark & Flagg Gloves.

Heavy P. X. M. Mannish Capes.
1.00. 1.50. 1.75. 2.00

Golf Gloves

Full lines for the Skating Season.
Silk Lined in white, grey and black.... 75
Fancy Mixed in colors.. 50
Silks in white, black and grey 1.00

Some Broken Lines

Voiles, Etamines, Mistrals, Twines and Canvas Cloths

Some Odd Pieces and Broken Lines High Class Suitings. Full range of shades, including browns, reds, navy, reseda, tans, castor, greys, cadet and modes, but the lines to which they belong are broken. Not a Yard Ever Sold for Less Than 1.00, 1.25 and 1.50. They go on Sale Tuesday for.............. 75c

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233-235 FIFTH AVENUE

Buy by Phone

Your Nerves

Furnish the motive power of the entire body. Dr. Miles' Nervine will keep the nerves strong and healthy or restore their strength if weakened. Sold on guarantee. Write for free book on nervous diseases.

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RIVER PACKETS.

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Strs. for Wheeling, Marietta, Parkersburg, Gallipolis, Huntington, Ironton, Portsmouth, Cincinnati, Louisville, Memphis, St. Louis and way landings. Leave wharfboat foot Wood st. as follows: Keystone State, Wednesday; Virginia, Saturday, at 4 p. m. Fare—Pittsburgh to Cincinnati, $7; round trip, $12 and $14, meals, berths included; down by boat, return by rail, $14. For freight or passage apply to Jas. A. Henderson, Mgr. Tel. 1762 Court.

PITTSBURGH, WHEELING & PARKERSBURG SEMI-WEEKLY PACKET

Steamer BEN HUR (H. E. Kramer, captain; Ed. Dunn, clerk) departs from Patterson's wharfboat every Monday at 12 m.; Thursdays at 4 p. m. This passenger and freight steamer has all modern improvements. S. R. Patterson & Co., G. H. Ghriest, 307 Water st., agents.

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RAILROADS.

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.

(Eastern Standard Time.)
Leaves Station, Smithfield and Water Sts.:

LINES EAST.	Depart.	Arrive.
Cumberland Accom.......*	6:30 am	* 9:25 pm
Connellsv. & Mt. Pleas..†	6:30 am	† 9:15 am
Wash., Balt. & New York*	8:00 am	* 7:45 pm
Conn'v., Un'tn & Fairm't.*	8:00 am	* 7:45 pm
Cumb., Wash. & Balt....*	1:00 pm	* 2:45 pm
West Newton Accom.....†	9:10 am	† 8:00 am
Con'l'v., Un'tn. Morgant.†	1:20 pm	†10:00 am
Connellsv. & Mt Pleas't.†	1:30 pm	† 2:45 pm
Connellsville Accom ......*	4:00 pm	† 5:05 pm
Morgantown, Clarksburg and Weston..............†	5:00 pm	†12:50 pm
Philadelphia and New York (Duquesne Lim.)..*	6:30 pm	* 9:15 am
West Newton Accom .....†	6:40 pm	† 1:30 pm
Wash., Balt. & Phila.....*	9:00 pm	* 7:00 am
LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.		
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.*	1:00 am	*10:35 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp..*	8:30 am	* 7:45 am
Whg., Zanesv. & Col. Ac.*	1:05 pm	* 4:05 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling.*	4:30 pm	* 8:00 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Whg. Ac..*	5:35 pm	* 8:45 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp..*	8:50 pm	* 7:55 am
LINES WEST VIA AKRON.		
Cleve., Akron & Youngst.*	7:50 am	* 3:15 am
Chicago & Cleveland.....*	3:05 pm	*12:35 pm
Chicago Limited...........*	8:05 pm	* 7:40 am
(Leave P. & W. Station, Allegheny.)		
Butler ....*	7:30 am	† 7:55 am
Butler, Foxburg...............†	8:15 am	† 5:10 pm
Butler, Greenville, Erie...†	8:15 am	† 6:35 pm
Butler ....†	10:45 am	† 9:40 am
Butler, Greenville, Erie..†	1:15 pm	† 1:00 pm
Ellwood City.................†	1:15 pm	† 6:50 am
Butler, Clarion, Greenville†	3:00 pm	†10:25 am
Butler, Ellwood, N. Castle†	5:30 pm	* 9:40 am
Butler ....*	6:15 am	* 5:10 pm
Ellwood and New Castle..‡	6:15 pm	* 9:40 am
Butler ....*	11:30 pm	* 7:20 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only.

PITTSBURGH & LAKE ERIE R. R.

CLEVELAND SHORT LINE.
Schedule in effect Nov. 22, 1903.

CENTRAL TIME.	Depart.	Arrive.
Chic. & Cleve. "Flyer"...	* 7:00 am	* 3:45 pm
Cleveland "Flyer"	* 7:00 am	* 6:30 pm
Youngst'n and Clev. Mail..	* 8:25 am	* 5:10 pm
Buffalo and Erie Express..	† 8:25 am	† 7:15 pm
Lake Chaut'qua Fast Line	*12:50 pm	* 6:30 pm
Buffalo and Erie Express..	† 5:00 pm	* 9:45 pm
Cleveland and Chicago Ex.	* 2:30 pm	*12:50 pm
Boston Special	† 5:00 pm	* 6:35 am
Clev. and Detroit "Flyer"	‡ 6:00 pm	†11:15 am
Chicago Limited	† 6:00 pm	* 6:35 am
Buffalo and Cleveland Ex.	*10:30 pm	* 6:35 am
Youngstown Accom.	† 5:30 am	* 9:00 am
Beaver Falls Accom	† 6:40 am	† 5:35 am
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 9:00 am	† 9:30 am
West Pittsburgh Accom..	†12:10 pm	† 4:15 pm
Beaver Falls Accom	† 3:20 pm	†12:30 pm
New Castle Express.......	† 4:20 pm	† 7:30 am
Beaver Valley Express......	† 5:25 pm	† 6:30 am
Brownsville Accom.	† 6:10 am	† 6:45 am
Brownsville & N. Hav. Ex	* 8:00 am	* 8:00 am
M'Keesp't & Brownsville..	†11:50 am	†12:40 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven..	† 3:30 pm	† 4:50 pm
Brownsville & §N. Haven..	* 5:20 pm	* 5:45 pm

P., C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Beadling and Beechmont, §5:30 a. m., †10:15 a. m.

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. §Sunday only.

‡Note—Daily train (Sunday, Youngstown only).

City ticket office, 357 Fifth ave., Park bldg.

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Pittsburgh, Pa.

RAILROADS.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

Trains leave on Eastern Standard Time
From Union Station, Pittsburgh.

FOR PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, BALTIMORE AND WASHINGTON.

Atlantic Express, daily	3:00 a
Manhattan Limited, daily, for Philadelphia and New York..........	3:25 a
Pennsylvania Limited, daily...........	7:15 a
New York Limited, daily..........	7:25 a
Day Express, daily..........	7:30 a
Main Line Express, daily..........	8:00 a
Philadelphia and New York Express, daily	12:01 p
Harrisburg Mail, daily..........	12:45 p
Harrisburg Express, daily..........	4:50 p
Philadelphia Express, daily..........	4:55 p
Eastern Express, daily..........	7:10 p
Fast Line, daily..........	9:00 p
New York Special, daily, for New York only	10:00 p
Philadelphia Special, daily. Sleeping cars to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington. No coaches	10:00 p

For Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 9:00 a. m. 11:00 p. m. daily.

For Oil City, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 1:30, 5:05 11:00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 m., 5:05 and 11:00 p. m.

For Titusville and Corry, 6:15, 9:00 a. m. 11:00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 a and 11:00 p. m. For Titusville only, 1:30 m. week-days.

For Du Bois, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 1:30 and 5:0 m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m. and p. m.

For Atlantic City (via Delaware River Brid all-rail route), 8:00 a. m. and 9:00 p. daily. "Pennsylvania Limited" and "N York Limited," 7:15 a. m. week-days.

For Connellsville and Uniontown, 5:50, a. m., 12:50 and 5:05 p. m. week-days, 4:55 p. m. Sundays.

For Brownsville and Uniontown, 10:35 a. and 4:30 p. m. week-days. For Brownsv only, 6:05, 8:20 a. m., 1:05, 3:25, 6:40, 11:35 p. m. week-days; 7:00, 9:35 a. m. 1:05, 5:00 and 9:40 p. m. Sundays. Dravosburg, West Elizabeth, Monongah City and Belle Vernon, 6:05, 8:20, 10:3 m., 1:05, 3:25, 4:30 (5:25 Monongahela C 6:40 and 11:35 p. m. week-days. Sund 7:00, 9:35 a. m., 1:05, 5:00 and 9:40 p.

FROM ALLEGHENY CITY.

For Butler, 6:30, 9:00, 10:00 a. m., 3:00, and 8:50 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7:0 m., 9:23 p. m.

The Excelsior Baggage Express Comp will call for and check baggage from ho and residences. Time cards and full in mation can be obtained at the Ticket Offic No. 360 Fifth avenue, corner Fourth ave and Try street and Union station.

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J. R. WOOD, Pass'r Traf. Mg
GEO. W. BOYD, General Passenger Agent.

Pittsburgh Union Station.

Pennsylvania Lines

By Central Standard Time

TRAINS.	LEAVE.	ARRI
Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis..*	1.10 am	[illegible]
Chicago, Cleveland and Toledo...*	3.15 am	[illegible]
Indianapolis, Louisville, St. Louis.*	4.50 am	[illegible]
Columbus and Cincinnati..........*	4.50 am	[illegible]
Cleveland and Bellaire..........†	5.00 am	[illegible]
Wellsville and Bellaire..........†	5.00 am	[illegible]
Alliance and Cleveland..........†	6.00 am	[illegible]
Alliance and Crestline..........†	6.15 am	[illegible]
Alliance..........§	6.00 am	[illegible]
Jamestown and Youngstown..........†	6.30 am	[illegible]
Jamestown and New Castle..........†	6.30 am	[illegible]
Ohio Valley Express..........†	6.45 am	[illegible]
Fort Wayne and Chicago..........*	7.00 am	[illegible]
Tiffin and Toledo..........†	7.00 am	[illegible]
Wellsville and Bellaire..........†	7.30 am	[illegible]
The Forest City Special..........*	8.00 am	[illegible]
Columbus and Cincinnati..........*	8.00 am	[illegible]
Columbus and Indianapolis..........*	8.00 am	[illegible]
Mercer and Oil City..........†	8.05 am	[illegible]
New Castle and Erie..........†	8.05 am	[illegible]
Erie, Youngstown and Ashtabula..........†	8.05 am	[illegible]
The Toledo Special..........*	12.00 n'n	[illegible]
Columbus and Chicago..........*	12.25 pm	[illegible]
Youngstown and Jamestown..........†	12.25 pm	[illegible]
New Castle and Ashtabula..........†	12.25 pm	[illegible]
Cleveland and Bellaire..........†	1.25 pm	[illegible]
Alliance and Mansfield..........*	1.35 pm	[illegible]
New Castle and Erie..........†	4.30 pm	[illegible]
Youngstown and Niles..........†	4.30 pm	[illegible]
Mercer and Oil City..........†	4.30 pm	[illegible]
Wellsville and Bellaire..........†	4.40 pm	[illegible]
The Cleveland Special..........*	5.00 pm	[illegible]
Wellsville and Bellaire..........‡	5.10 pm	[illegible]
New Castle and Jamestown..........‡	5.25 pm	[illegible]
The Chicago Special..........*	6.30 pm	[illegible]
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville*	7.15 pm	[illegible]
Columbus and Cincinnati..........*	8.10 pm	[illegible]
The St. Louis Limited..........*	8.10 pm	[illegible]
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville*	8.10 pm	[illegible]
The Pennsylvania Limited..........*	8.15 pm	[illegible]
Toledo and Detroit..........*	8.20 pm	[illegible]
Beaver Falls and New Castle..........†	10.40 pm	[illegible]
Alliance and Cleveland..........*	11.00 pm	[illegible]

Leave for Washington, Pa., †6.00 am, †7.00 am, †8.45 am, †1.30 pm, †2.10 pm, †4.10 pm, *5.15 pm, †8.30 pm, †10.30 pm.

Leave for Wheeling, †6.45 am, *8.20 am, †11.40 am, pm, *6.15 pm.

Leave for Steubenville, †5.40 am, †8.35 am, †12.20 †6.22 pm, †10.55 pm, ‡11.35 am.

Leave for Dennison, *5.40 am, †2.30 pm.

Leave Allegheny for Salem and Alliance, †6.25 pm.

*Every day. †Week days only. ‡Sundays only.

Time tables, tickets and sleeping car space may obtained at 360 Fifth avenue, corner Smithfield str at Union station, Pittsburgh, and at Fort Wayne sta Allegheny.

G. L. PECK, General Manager.
E. A. FORD, General Pass'r A

BESSEMER LAKE ERIE R. R.

Schedule in effect September 13, 1903. Tr leave B. & O. depot, Allegheny (Eastern St dard time), for Conneaut, O.; Erie, Gir Meadville and Conneaut Lake at 8:15 a. m. 1:15 p. m.; for Greenville, Mercer, Grove C and Keister at 8:15 a. m., 1:15 and 3:00 p. All trains daily except Sunday. E. D. CO STOCK, G. P. A., Pittsburgh, Pa.

NEWS OF THE NEARBY TOWNS AND COUNTRY

X-GOV. W. A. STONE BUYS SPANKING TEAM

urchases Pair of Horses at Youngstown and Incidentally Talks Politics.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Nov. 30.—Ex-Gov. William A. Stone of Pennsylvania was in e city today to purchase a team of orses. He tried a team of spanking ays and bought them, it being said that e paid $1,000 for them.

Incidentally he talked politics. "Roosevelt and McClellan will be the nominees r president on the opposing tickets, I ink," he said. "There is no reason why oosevelt should not be nominated. Hana does not want it and Roosevelt will it New York, on which the election ngs.

"McClellan is the foremost Democrat in e country by his victory in New York. is a good fellow to meet and there no reason why he should not be the mocratic nominee. He will not have en in office long enough to make any stakes or enemies before the time mes for the nomination, and that, in elf means a great deal."

AR TAKES ACTION ON DEATH OF M'CONAHY

NEW CASTLE, PA., Nov. 30.—(Speal.)—Members of the Lawrence County r association met at the court house re this afternoon to take action on the ath of Attorney John G. McConahy. e meeting was called by President Wilm E. Porter and Attorneys Malcolm Connell, C. H. Aikens and Samuel W. ina were appointed a committee to aw up suitable resolutions of respect. dge Wallace appointed next Monday ernoon as a time for holding a memorial session of court. The funeral servs will be held tomorrow afternoon from e McConahy residence and will be conted by the Mahoning Masonic lodge. e pall-bearers are Judge William D. allace, ex-Judge Aaron L. Hazen, H. Gregory, Scott D. Long, Leonard M. er and Wallace H. Falls.

ROUGHT A BIG DEER TO PUNXSUTAWNEY

JOHN J. HYND.

PUNXSUTAWNEY, PA., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Famous among the big game stalkers of Jefferson county is John J. Hynd, who surprised the groundhog catchers of Punxsutawney the other day by bringing a big deer to town. Mr. Hynd is a crack target shot and his luck spoils the old tradition that a shooting gallery artist invariably becomes a victim of uck fever when left in the woods. He does his hunting in Clearfield ounty and has brought home his econd deer.

Along Trout run hunters have been xceptionally lucky this season and ine fine heads were brought out of e woods for taxidermists to mount. n one camp the hunters saw 14 deer less than a fortnight.

UGHT WITH HATCHETS AND WERE ARRESTED

HARON, PA., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—rie Nation never wielded the hatchet more telling effect than did two forers at a beer party yesterday at the se of Steve Biro. A free-for-all fight started and John Nois and Steven bia, guests, each grabbed a hatchet went at each other. They slashed h other about the face, hands and ns until they fell from exhaustion. The ice visited the place and found Nois Frabia sleeping in the same bed. y were arraigned before a justice of peace and fined $10 and costs.

Smallpox Subsiding at Sharon.

HARON, PA., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—e smallpox scare in Sharon is abating. one time there were 60 cases under atment and 42 were in the detention pital. At present there are 28 cases, d by the last of the week it is beved there will be less than 15. The allpox outbreak has cost the borough veral thousand dollars.

HAS STAMPED OUT SMALLPOX

DR. SALEM HEILMAN.

SHARON, PA., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Since Dr. Salem Heilman of this city was appointed quarantine officer for Mercer county by the state board of health, by his energetic work the smallpox epidemic has been checked in Sharon. Dr. W. Batts, state quarantine officer, was here a few days ago to investigate the smallpox situation, and he was well satisfied with the manner in which the local board handled the cases.

MAYOR OF AMESVILLE THROWN INTO CANAL

Tramp Elected as a Joke Arrested for Drunkenness at Akron.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

AKRON, O., Nov. 30.—Mayor faced mayor in police court this morning, when Alonzo Weed, the "joke mayor" of Amesville, O., was arraigned for intoxication. When arrested he was cold, dirty, ragged, his clothing soaking wet and his shoes full of water. He had an encounter with hoboes, was thrown into the canal and claimed he was robbed.

"I always let 'em off easy when they come before me," said Weed when he faced Mayor Kempel. "Mayors always treated me well," he added.

"That puts it up to me pretty strong," said Mayor Kempel, and he discharged Alonzo.

Weed had walked from Canton to Akron. He is a tramp and was elected mayor of Amesville last spring as a joke. Though efforts were made to oust him, Gov. Nash refused to interfere. Alonzo disappeared some time ago.

"I'm not a tramp," he said when he left the court room. "I'm just seeing the world. I'm still mayor of Amesville, but I won't go back."

Two Injured in Train Wreck.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., Nov. 30.—Passenger train No. 12 on the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern railroad, eastbound, ran into an open switch at Belpre, two miles west of here, today, wrecking the engine, baggage and mail cars. Engineer Frank McWhorter of Chillicothe was seriously injured and William Schriver of Evansville, Ind., was slightly hurt.

Oil Property Sold.

TITUSVILLE, PA., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Charles B. Saylor and Charles Nason, comprising the Nason Oil Company, sold their holdings at Pineville, Warren county, today to M. J. Sturgis of Little Cooley, G. W. Sturgis of Mill village and Thomas Anderson and S. M. Bowes of Oil City. The property contains over 200 acres in which there are eight pumping wells. The price paid was $10,000.

Killed Wild Cat and Bear.

TITUSVILLE, PA., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—H. P. Wiley, living south of this city, returned today from a hunting expedition near Stone Ridge, Warren county. On Thursday last he killed a wild cat which weighed 50 pounds. This morning he shot a black bear which a trio of hunters had been chasing since the middle of the week. The bear was sold to a Warren meat market and weighed 200 pounds.

ACCIDENTAL SHOT WOUNDED SWEETHEART

Young Woman Greeted by Lover With a Bullet from a Pistol.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Nov. 30.—As the result of an accidental discharge of a revolver last night, Miss Ada Grim, 18 years old, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Brooks, lies in a precarious condition at her home in Swagertown. The girl says Philip Stinger, of Coal Brook, called upon her Sunday night and that she met him on the back porch. "He put his arm around my neck," says the girl, "pressing me closely to him and fired the pistol."

After the shooting Stinger told the family of the shooting, saying it was accidental. He came to Connellsville for Dr. Jackson, who extracted the bullet.

The girl further said that upon one or two occasions she and Stinger had quarrelled and that he was extremely jealous of her. He had been keeping company with her for a year and was anxious to wed her but his parents would not give their consent, he being less than 21 years old.

NEW BRIGHTON PLANTS SHUT DOWN FOR A MONTH

NEW BRIGHTON, PA., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—The Dawes & Myler plant of the Standard Sanitary Company will operate for the remainder of the year only four days a week. The American porcelain works has closed down for the remainder of the year. The C. C. & E. P. Townsend wire mill, the Pierce-Crouch engine works and the Damascus steel works, have materially reduced their forces. It is said that the output of the plants has been reduced only temporarily as about all of them will be compelled to take stock in December and for that reason do not wish to have a very large stock on hand. At every one of the plants it was stated that they would be operated in full after the first of the year.

MRS. SENNETT'S COACHMAN BOUND OVER TO COURT

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Mitchell Irwin, the coachman who brought suit for breach of promise against Mrs. George B. Sennett and was afterwards arrested on the charge of larceny, was today bound over to common pleas court in the sum of $300, which he could not furnish. He was taken to the county jail. After the suit was brought Mrs. Sennett charged him with stealing various articles from the barns where he was employed by her.

WILL CLAIM TITLE TO VALUABLE ESTATE

Prominent Western Pennsylvania Families Interested in Baltimore Property.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

GREENSBURG, PA., Nov. 30.—A number of prominent families of Western Pennsylvania are interested in the trip of George W. Weaver of Greensburg to Baltimore to investigate the title of a valuable piece of property there. Mr. Weaver is a grandson of George W. Nicholson, who died leaving three valuable tracts of land, comprising 27 acres, in what is now the central part of Baltimore.

Over a century ago, so the story goes, John Nicholson, the great grandfather of the mother of Mr. Weaver, left the properties to his grandson, George W. Nicholson, Mrs. Weaver's father, and his two sisters. The descendants of George W. Nicholson in addition to Mrs. Weaver are: William Nicholson, of Wilkinsburg; Andrew Nicholson of Butler; Mrs. Sweeney of Fayette county, and Mrs. Fraze of Pittsburgh. For some reason title to the property was never claimed by the heirs.

The property has become exceedingly valuable, the car shops of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad being located upon a part of it. No conveyance, it is stated, appears on the records in Baltimore.

ELOPED IN THE NIGHT.

New Brighton Girl Leaves Home, but Groom's Identity Is Unknown.

NEW BRIGHTON, PA., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Charlotte Myers, daughter of August Myers, aged 20, has eloped and her parents know not which of two lovers she has chosen for her husband. She was popular and had many suitors, but of these only two found favor in her eyes. One was Frank Seibert of Wheeling, gardner in her father's greenhouse until a week ago. The other lived at Kenwood.

Last night she left home, saying she was going to church. She did not return at midnight and a note saying she had left and would write in two days was found in her bed chamber. Mr. Myers, her brother, was formerly prominently connected with the old Hussey, Howe & Co. steel works at Pittsburgh. He is now a prominent florist.

FATALLY SHOT AFTER A BOXING CONTEST

STEUBENVILLE, O., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—A shooting followed a boxing contest at Cadiz Junction last night. Jacob Hinds and Jerry Arnold, engaged in a boxing contest and Hinds was worsted. The crowd broke up and Arnold started home. Hinds secured a revolver, it is said, and followed Arnold. When the latter was on his own doorstep Hinds called to him. Arnold turned to face him and, it is alleged, Hinds fired. The bullet entered Arnold's breast over the heart, making a fatal wound.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE IS SUED FOR DIVORCE

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Mrs. Kittie R. Haseltine has brought suit for divorce against her husband, Justice of the Peace William R. Haseltine, of East Youngstown, alleging cruelty and infidelity. She names three co-respondents. She alleges that they were married April 13, 1903, and that two weeks afterward he told her that her face was 10 years older than his and that the marriage was a disappointment. She claims that he beat her in public at Mt. Clemens and has since repeatedly struck her.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

CHARLEROI, PA.—The Gwynn block has been sold to James Hott for $37,500.

FREEDOM, PA.—Charles White, the 10-year-old son of David White, was killed here. He was coasting and crashed into a street car at the Third street crossing.

WASHINGTON, PA.—Blaine Stewart, a farmer, aged 25, of near Amity, was killed as a result of a hunting accident. Swart's body was riddled with shot from a gun accidentally discharged by his stumbling.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—After a month's unsuccessful attempt to abolish deliveries to retail meat dealers, the local Armour and Cudahy packing houses gave up the battle and placed delivery wagons in commission again.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—Joseph Carson, the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie man injured under a Pennsylvania freight train, died at the local hospital as a result of his injuries. He was 38 years old and leaves a widow and five children.

GREENSBURG, PA.—At a joint meeting of the boards of commissioners of Westmoreland and Butler counties the contract for the erection of a bridge over Jacobs creek at Chains Mills, four miles from Scottdale, was awarded to the York Bridge Company at $6,505.

LISBON, O.—The Wellsville church controversy got into court here through the filing of a petition by the Second Presbyterian church of that city against the First church, asking that the defendant give the plaintiff a fee simple title to the Second church premises.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA.—Mrs. John Mitchell received a message from the hospital authorities at Paducah, Ky., notifying her that Samuel R. Baird, her son, died in that institution, the result of burns received in a boiler explosion on a Mississippi packet several weeks ago. He had been away from home two years. He was 19 years old.

OLDIER'S BODY WAS LOST AFTER ITS LONG JOURNEY

emains of the Late Corporal Fitzmaurice Are Finally Located in the Jefferson Barracks.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 30.—Until tonight it s thought that the body of Corporal lliam J. Fizmaurice, the soldier who d in the Philippines and whose body been lost in transit between New k and St. Louis since November 21, again miscarried, but it was located Jefferson barracks, where it has been e Friday night.

George Sturgeon, assistant receiving rk of the Pacific Express Company at ion station, says that the body of Fitzurice arrived Friday.

I handled the body myself," said Mr. rgeon. "I saw that it was placed on wagon and taken to Fourth street and outeau avenue, where it was to have en placed on a car and sent to Jefferson rracks."

he United States quartermaster's dertment knew nothing of the arrival of body Monday morning, although ofers have been on the lookout for it for week.

"The body was in a heavy brown oak , wrapped with iron bands," said Mr. rgeon. "It was covered with tags and signment marks. The marks indicated t the body arrived in New York and shipped to Philadelphia, then to Pittsgh, back to Philadelphia, then back to w York and then back to Philadelphia on to St. Louis."

uartermaster Cruse said tonight that the body was at Jefferson barracks and arrangements for the funeral had been made for Tuesday. Edward Rowlson, uncle of the dead soldier, has been expecting the body for the past week.

The dead body of W. J. Fizmaurice that arrived in New York November 21 and was shipped all over the eastern part of the country, including Pittsburgh, bound for St. Louis, has at last arrived at its destination after traveling approximately 20,000 miles, according to the above special telegram.

Fitzmaurice's remains arrived in Pittsburgh last Wednesday noon and were taken to the home of his sister, Mrs. H. J. Keenan, who resides in Wilkinsburg. While she was arranging to have the body shipped from Pittsburgh to St. Louis direct, orders were received at the Wilkinsburg express office that the body be sent back to Philadelphia. Mrs. Keenan then got assurance from the depot quartermaster at New York that the remains would be shipped from Philadelphia to St. Louis. Evidently another misunderstanding resulted in its being sent back to New York. Original orders that the body be shipped to St. Louis were given by the boy's father, over a year ago. The effort of Mrs. Keenan to have the father's wishes carried out gave rise to a series of mistakes at Washington, New York, Philadelphia and Pittsburgh, as well as at St. Louis.

CALLED BUCCANEERS.

nti-Imperialists Deplore Panama Developments Implicating Uncle Sam.

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—The anal meeting of the New England Antiperialistic league was held here today. ter the selection of officers several rerts were made upon the progress of the gue.

hen the Panama question was conered Secretary Winslow said the situa should alarm all, as it showed conively that the United States has shown f as pastmaster in the act of terril buccaneering. Prof. William es of Harvard believed anti-imperial should look to the future rather than moan the past.

WILEY IS REAPPOINTED.

Well Known Franklin Guardsman Again in Command of Second Brigade.

HARRISBURG, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Gov. Pennypacker this afternoon reappointed John A. Wiley of Franklin as brigadier general to command the Second brigade, and former Lieut. Gov. J. P. S. Gobin of Lebanon to be brigadier general of the Third brigade.

At no time was there any doubt of the recommissioning of the two generals, as they have made exceptionally good commanders and are recognized as two of the best officers in the National Guard of Pennsylvania.

The Three Rivers

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, Nov. 30.—River, 9.3 feet and falling. Packets in and out on time, with fair business. The steamer Virginia of the Cincinnati & Pittsburgh Packet Company, upon arrival tomorrow, will lay up here until a rise comes. The Robert P. Gilham is tied up near Wheeling with a tow of new empties which she was bringing to the Kanawha coal fields for the Campbell Creek Coal Company. The W. B. Calderwood was the only towboat arrival today. She got in from the Kanawha with eight barges.

WHEELING—River, 5 feet 3 inches, falling. Down, E. A. Woodruff, 8 a. m.; Bessie Smith, Parkersburg, 11 a. m.; Ben Hur, Parkersburg, 10 p. m.

MIDDLEPORT—River, 6 feet 10 inches, falling. Up, Jack Frost, 1:30 p. m. Down, Virginia, 11:30 a. m. The Annie L., Oakland, Alice Brown, Defender and Tom Dodsworth arrived and laid up on account of low water.

HUNTINGTON—River, 7 feet 2 inches and falling. Keystone State, for Pittsburgh, at 5:30 p. m.; Virginia, for Cincinnati, at 7 p. m.

OIL CITY—River, 2 feet 3 inches and falling.

GREENSBORO—River, 6 feet 5 and stationary. Snow. Hite down, Tuesday, and Cherry up.

WARREN—River, 2 feet 7 inches.

MORGANTOWN—River, 7 feet and stationary. Snow.

PARKERSBURG—River, 6 feet and falling. The French left for Creston at 4 p. m. Considerable ice floating.

POINT PLEASANT—River, 4 feet and falling. Down, Golden Rod, Virginia, Ben Goble. Up, Jack Frost and Tom Dodsworth.

GALLIPOLIS—River, 5 feet 8 inches and falling.

TOWBOATS IN A TUSSLE.

The towboat Eleanor, owned by the Clyde Coal Company, and the towboat Frank Gilmore, owned by the A. R. Budd Coal Company, fought all day yesterday for the possession of the Water street wharf a little below the Wabash bridge. The Budd concern has controlled the landing for years but, it is alleged, without a lease. The Clyde Coal Company has recently secured a lease from Director E. M. Bigelow and yesterday attempted to dislodge the Budd interests. The fight was warm and closely watched by the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal & Coke Co. people who are said to figure in the situation. The landing is 450 feet long and begins 57 feet below the Wabash bridge.

Both concerns have coal landed at that landing, and the two steamers are kept there to protect the interests of the concerns of each. The Clyde, owned by the Clyde Coal Company, tied up to the landing twice yesterday and each time the stearn lines were cut by unknown persons.

Jesse Sandford of the Clyde Coal Company stated yesterday that his firm had a lease on that landing and would take possession as peaceably as possible. A. R. Budd stated last night that it was true that the Clyde company had a lease on the property occupied by the Budds but that the Clyde company got the lease from Mr. Bigelow by pretending that the two concerns were together. Mr. Budd also stated that his concern would vacate the landing in question as soon as the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal & Coke Co. vacated the landing nearby which the Budds have leased. Officials of the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal & Coke Co. declare that they have not been and are not occupying a landing on which the Budd company has a lease and that it would not vacate. The situation will probably be peacefully settled by Mr. Bigelow.

Arrivals.

Ben Hur, Simms, Parkersburg; Kanawha, Roe, Charleston; Rose Hite, Williams, Morgantown.

Departures.

Ben Hur, Simms, Parkersburg; Rose Hite, Williams, Morgantown.

News of the Rivers.

At 9 o'clock last evening the marks on the gauge at the Davis island dam showed a stage of 4.2 feet, and the river was stationary.

The Kanawha will leave this afternoon for Charleston.

The Harvester is tied up at Martin's Ferry with a tow of empties.

The Keystone State has been delayed and will not arrive in Pittsburgh until tomorrow night. She will not leave until Thursday afternoon.

The Enterprise arrived yesterday with a tow of empties from Cincinnati. She was able to bring the pieces through the ice and slush into the harbor.

The Defender and Alice Brown laid up yesterday at Middleport; the Sam Clark and Hornet at Marietta; the Josh Cook at Merrill, and the Volunteer at Rochester.

Rivermen were complaining yesterday that no light was on the sunken barge in the channel at the "trap." The Pittsburgh Dredging & Construction Co. will remove the flat from the river.

The Diamond was at work yesterday freeing the towboats Progress and F. K. Hulings from the ice above the Herr's island dam in the Allegheny river. The ice is not thick and most trouble is caused by the slush.

Work has been started on the raising of the steamer Coal City at Vanceburg. It is expected that the pumps will be started today and that she will soon be raised. Capt. John Moren left yesterday to superintend the work. The loss will reach between $3,000 and $4,000.

Capt. T. S. Calhoun, commander of the Virginia, left the boat at his home in Georgetown and will not attempt to steamboat this rough weather. Capt. Calhoun has not fully recovered from the severe illness he went through last winter. Capt. Huntington is in command of the Virginia.

The slush and ice in the Allegheny river above Herr's island dam, and also large quantities above the Davis island dam are hindering local towboats in their trade. Rivermen hope for a warm spell so as to clear the river of ice. The Morgantown packets report that there is considerable ice in some of the upper pools of the Monongahela river.

The steamer Mayflower and the excursion barge Annie Roberts are high and dry on the wharf. The Mayflower is above the Smithfield street bridge and the Annie Roberts at the Klein landing. Both boats are listing badly and the Annie Roberts has considerable water in her hold. The water fell rapidly in the harbor Sunday night and several other crafts are aground.

The steamer George W. Moredock, owned by J. S. Neel, was burned Sunday afternoon at Neel's landing near Industry. She was valued at $10,000, and the loss is partly covered by insurance. The Moredock was formerly owned by Collins & Hartweg of Cincinnati and was brought to Pittsburgh about two years ago. She had been in the towing and dredging business for some time. The Moredock had been repaired, and negotiations were in progress for her sale.

KAUFMANN'S
"THE BIG STORE"

The Christmas book is opened

Let us read it together. My! what a lot of pretty pictures it contains. The great Kaufmann Christmas book is a wonder. But, lest you misunderstand, we must speak just a little plainer. This great Christmas book is "The Big Store" itself, and never has it been so well prepared to meet the holiday desires of every member of the human family. It just glistens with the beauties and charms of realistic art. There are art-things and wear-things and jewels and novelties of every description.

And everything for the home and office, too—in fact "The Big Store" contains a veritable world of things of sense and sentiment. Of course you'll come to "The Big Store." Everybody does—it's second nature. Come for mere pleasure if you will, for inspiration, for helpful suggestions, for economy. We've gathered a harvest of merchandise from all over the world—so that you may have choice, beautiful and worthy things to make this Christmas joyous for those for whom you live.

Christmas handkerchiefs

WHEN thinking and planning for Christmas, handkerchiefs are one of the first things to pop into the mind. And to think of handkerchiefs is to think of "The Big Store."

Close on to a million—that's the stock we've laid in—and with the larger stock came better buying opportunities for us and better purchasing opportunities for you.

A very special offer for today—embracing the sample lines of several manufacturers and importers—only one to three dozen of a kind, but hundreds of kinds in the assortment—sheer linen initial handkerchiefs, embroidered and scalloped edge handkerchiefs, plain linen handkerchiefs with ¼, ⅛ and ½ in. hem, lace trimmed handkerchiefs, etc.—the regular 15c and 18c qualities, in this sale at 10c

Women's dainty hand embroidered, hemstitched and scalloped edged handkerchiefs; all the newest designs; also fine lace trimmed handkerchiefs, 100 different styles—nothing startling about the price—it's the goods at the price that will cause wonder— 25c

Holiday slipper display

WE'RE prepared to meet any demand, and from the brisk selling which marks the opening of the holiday trade, it looks as though this was to be the biggest slipper season yet.

The multiplicity of styles, the variety of leathers and the uniform lowness of the prices preclude all possibility of your not finding something here to please both you and the recipient, too,

Women's holiday slippers—kid and felt juliettes, fur trimmed, or kid opera and strap slippers, 40 distinct styles, at four prices, 75c, 1.00, 1.50 and 2.00

Men's holiday slippers—the genuine alligator, tan goat and vici kid, opera, Columbia, Harvard and Nullifier styles, kid lined, hand sewed—at 1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 2.00 and 2.50

Boys' and youths' slippers—opera and nullifier styles, in kid and goat, 3 immense lines, at 75c, 1.00 and 1.50

Furs for Christmas giving

A GIFT of furs to relative or friend is one that will elicit the most earnest appreciation from the recipient. Kaufmann furs are, of course, only the most reliable. The stock is now at its best and a most excellent one from which to get correct ideas of fur fashions. As furs are largely bought on faith, just as diamonds, you therefore cannot go wrong in buying at "The Big Store," where exact information and highest satisfaction go hand in hand.

Women's and misses' fur scarfs

Women's and misses' fur scarfs—of electric seal, squirrel and fox, neck pieces and stoles, finished with chenille fringes and natural brushes—5.00 and 3.98

Women's and misses' fur scarfs—of mink, squirrel, Isabella and sable fox, in Victorine and stole shapes, also the popular shaped cravats, finished with brush and stole ends—two splendid lines at 12.00 and 8.50

Women's and misses' fur scarfs—of Isabella and sable foxes, blue wolf, Persian lamb and squirrel; pelerines, cravats, neck scarfs and stoles; self lined or lined with squirrel and brocaded satin—25.00 and 16.50

Women's fur scarfs—of Isabella and sable fox, Hudson Bay sable, chinchilla, blended baum marten and moleskin, in the newest pelerine, cravat and stole shapes—special values at 75.00 and intermediate prices down to 50.00

Women's fur jackets

Women's electric seal jackets—plain and fancy trimmed styles, some have collars, revers and cuffs of mink, beaver or squirrel, lined with guaranteed satin—37.50 and 25.00

Women's Persian lamb coats—krimmer, near seal, made from carefully selected skins, lined with finest quality guaranteed satin or brocaded silks—125.00 down to 40.00

Women's fur coats—of Leipsic dyed Persian lamb and genuine Alaska and Copper Island seal, made in new stylish single and double breasted effects, lined with Skinner's satin—190.00 and 145.00

Children's and misses' fur sets

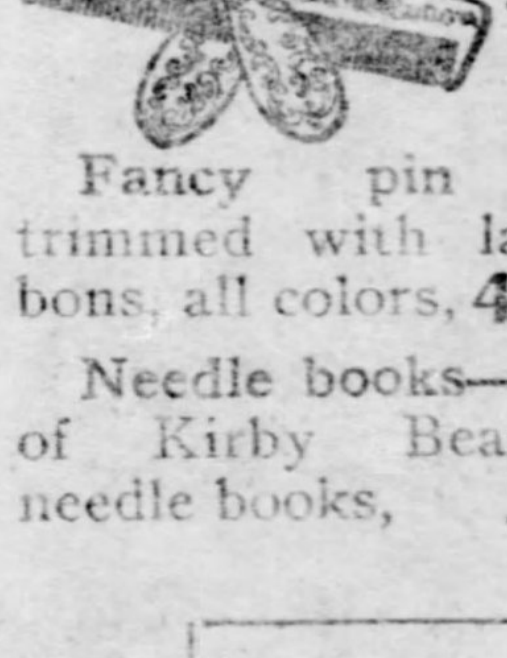
We are exhibiting a wide and varied assortment of misses' and children's fur sets, comprising squirrel, fox, white lamb, krimmer, angora, lock squirrel, mink, water mink, marten and other equally popular furs for little ones—prices range from 25.00 to 98c

Women's tailor made suits, in walking and dress styles, made from fancy mixed materials, cheviots, etc.; jackets come in single and double breasted styles, Louis XIV., Norfolk and corset fitting coats, lined with taffeta or satin, blacks, blues, browns, etc., skirts trimmed to match jackets, these suits are worth up to $18, special for today, 10.00

Women's tailor made suits—made from fancy imported mixed materials, cheviots and broadcloths, in black, blues, browns and all other desirable colors; jackets come in Louis XIV. styles, also blouse and other equally popular effects; skirts come in dress and walking lengths, some with silk drop skirts, with dust ruffles—reduced from as high as 50.00 to 25.00

Comb and brush sets

FANCY pin cushions, needle books and other things which most any woman would be glad to receive on Christmas.



Comb and brush sets—best assortment we've ever shown—fine Dresden china, with dainty decorations, each set consisting of brush, comb and mirror, put up in fancy box. Prices 1.25 to 6.75

Fancy pin cushions—trimmed with laces and ribbons, all colors, 48c to 2.50

Needle books—complete line of Kirby Beard's English needle books, 25c to 98c

Fancy garters—in glass top box—with fancy buckles, &c., pair, 25c to 98c

Opal plaques—dainty decorations varied enough to suit all tastes— 59c to 98c

Silverware—a lifetime gift

WHERE'S the housewife who wouldn't be highly elated at receiving a handsome piece or set of table silver?

Beauty and richness (and of course low price) are the distinguishing features of the silver shown here.

This silver tea service—tea pot, sugar bowl, cream pitcher and spoon holder, triple plated on pure white hard metal, hand burnished, fluted pattern with beaded trimmings, as illustrated—complete set 10.00

Rogers and Hamilton's famous triple plated silver knives and forks, extra heavily plated and silver inlaid on the parts most liable to suffer from wear—set of 6 knives and 6 forks for 2.98

The new toy store is ready

IT'S by far the largest and most complete in the city. It occupies two entire floors of our Diamond street annex, and such big floors as they are, too. Toys, toys, everywhere. Such a wonderful collection you never beheld. And such an assemblage of dolls. My! how young and old hearts will just pitter-pat at the sight of them. "The Big Store" is the place above all others for the children to come before writing letters to Santa Claus.

Men's warm underwear

DON'T jeopardize your health by allowing the holiday gift buying spirit to run away with your better judgment and prevent you from buying that new underwear for yourself. As a matter of economy alone, you shouldn't ignore such values as these:

Men's fleeced underwear—heavy soft fleecing, just the thing for men who can't wear wool or who are employed out of doors—regular 75c quality at 39c

Men's heavy ribbed underwear—4 thread derby ribbed shirts and drawers, balbriggan color or blue, fleece lined; will outwear the wool mixed or all pure wool—all sizes 34 to 44— 48c

Men's wool mixed underwear—heavy weight camel's hair or natural wool, mixed with a little cotton to prevent shrinkage, excellent underwear for comfort and wear—usual price $1, today 75c

Men's wool underwear—3 of the best known makes: Norfolk and New Brunswick full fashioned, Glastonbury natural wool and camel's hair, and the Bradford underwear—all the regular $1.50 qualities at 1.00

Cold weather hosiery

ARE you fully supplied with warm stockings? Even if you are, you surely can make room for a pair or two more at these low prices.

Women's stockings—pure wool, ribbed or plain, hemmed or elastic ribbed top; also silky fleeced cotton stockings, 3 pairs 55c—pair 19c

Women's stockings—fine soft cashmere or heavy wool, non-irritating, spliced toe [illegible] heel, would be good value for 50c, [illegible]

Women's imported English worsted stockings—non-shrinkable and non-irritating, double sole, heel and toe; warranted full seamless; exceptional value at 50c

Boys' or miss s' stockings—extra strong, war [illegible] fleeced, fast black cotton, sea [illegible] s, spliced toe, sizes 6½ to 10, [illegible] 2 pairs for 28c, pair 15c

M[illegible] dress stockings—fine soft [illegible]mere, wide or narrow ribbed, extra spliced toe and heel, sizes 6 to 9½—price this sale 25c

Infants' warm cashmere stockings—red, blue, pink, white or black; ribbed, with silk toe and heel—splendid value, at pair, 25c

BUSTER BROWN,
THE FUNNIEST AND MOST REFINED OF COMIC PAGES, IN THE SUNDAY GAZETTE.

The Pittsburgh Gazette.
PITTSBURGH, TUESDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 1, 1903.—PAGES 9 TO 14.

DOINGS OF THE
COON HOLLOW BUNCH
IN NEXT SUNDAY'S GAZETTE
WILL MAKE YOU LAUGH........

PRINCETON'S STAR PITCHER WILL JOIN THE PIRATES

ILLERBRAND TO BECOME PIRATE

he Famous Princeton Pitcher Has Not Signed With Senators and Will Join Pittsburgh.

EEPING AN OLD PROMISE

Arthur T., better known as Doc Hiller- and, the famous Princeton baseball and otball player, is very likely to be a ember of the pitching staff of the ttsburgh club next season. This has t yet been officially promulgated by the b officials, as for reasons best known to emselves the matter is being kept under ver; but it can be set down as a fact, neverless.

The deal for Hillerbrand's services has not en closed yet, but it is so far under way that is as good as closed, and the player himself in the city partly to confer with the club ople and to visit old classmates. It was blished some time ago that "Doc" Hiller- and and his brother, who was a Princeton

ARTHUR T. "DOC" HILLEBRAND.
he ex-Princeton star, who will likely be a Pirate pitcher next season.

ielder, had signed contracts to play with Washington team of the American league t season, but this report was not correct so as the big pitcher is concerned.

little over a year ago, when Hillerbrand college there was a wild scramble among club owners to secure his serv[illegible], and the sburgh club was among the [illegible]s. Hil- rand came on here and had a [illegible] with the owner, but refused at that [illegible] to sign a ract, as he thought of enga[illegible] business did not care to pitch p[illegible]onal base- He gave his promise [illegible] time that changed his mind h[illegible] give the gh club the first c[illegible] for his serv- d it seems that h[illegible] going to keep d.

turday last Hille[illegible] was in Phila- to see the Ar[illegible] Navy football d it now appea[illegible] President Drey- the Pittsburgh [illegible] was also there, but the pair held [illegible]erence or not is not It is known [illegible]ver, that the ex-col- rler was ac[illegible]ied to this city by a o was actin[illegible]n agent for the Pitts- lub, and t[illegible] the way over the pair aseball, [illegible]hat Hillerbrand denied tied hin[illegible] with the Washington intima[illegible]at he wanted to join the and th[illegible] the promise that he had ver a [illegible]go.

brand's record as a college twirler was one; in fact, he was regarded as the pitcher ever turned out by any college He is a strapping big fellow, with a f speed and as fine an assortment of as is commanded by any pitcher in the big leagues. His great forte al- his fine control, and he has a splen- and knows just what to do in the t spots. That he will be a strong addition the Pittsburgh club is a certainty, and his sence with the team will solve the much ussed pitching problem. Hillerbrand was in city, a guest of a former classmate at ceton, on Sunday, but left for the east in evening, and is expected to return here to- It is thought that his journey east was to fer with owner Dreyfuss of the Pirates, who expected to meet here, but who happens to n New York at present.

IE TOD SLOANE CASE IS FURTHER ARGUED

PARIS, Nov. 30.—Further argument was ard today in the suit of "Tod" Sloane, the nerican jockey, against the French Jockey ub for $40,000 damages for being warned off e turf in connection with Rose De Ma's nning the prix de diane at Chantilly in May st. A decision is expected by the middle of xt month.

Jockey Shields will sail Wednesday for nerica and return next year for services with Leigh stable.

BASKETBALL NOTES.

The Etna A. C. is without games. All rong amateur teams wanting games address J. Kurt, Walnut street, Etna.

The Trentons will be the attraction at Mt. lver hall tomorrow night. The teams are enly matched and no doubt there will be a od game.

The Pittsburgh Reserves would like to ar- nge games with all 17-year-old teams having ors. Address C. C. Kahl, 610 Carnegie ilding, city.

The Columbias would like to arrange a me with some 11 to 12-year-old team for turday night, December 5. Address M. Mc- onnell, 86 Twelfth street, South Side, city.

The Crescent A. C. would like to hear from 13 or 14-year-old teams having halls. Alle- heny Reserves and South Side Turners pre- rred. Address John Curry, 2223 Harkums ey, South Side.

All National five players please report early ursday evening for practice. Schuette, ase notice. National five would like to hear m Mr. Guthrie of the Marquette club of zelwood about the game to be played Sat- day evening. B. C. Laughlin, room 422 ttsburgh & Lake Erie station, city.

The Leithead A. C. basketball team of the uth Side has elected Charles Hauffleler as ptain and would like to hear from the La- yettes, Watson Juniors, Allentown Juniors, noxville Juniors, Tiger A. C. of Homestead, erty A. C., Manchester Juniors and espe- lly the Columbias and all 13 to 14-year-old ms having halls. Address W. H. Spilker Fifth avenue, city.

Allegheny Reserves basketball team like to hear from all 16-year-old teams Western Pennsylvania and Eastern Ohio, as Beaver College Preps, and Tarentum C. A. The Allegheny Reserve players please report on Wednesday evening at son and Anderson streets without their rms. All teams desiring games can have by addressing George M. Shields, 604 ples Savings Bank building.

The Nationals of Allegheny would like to r from all 17-year-old teams in Western nsylvania. Several new faces will be seen this year's lineup and they will make the m much stronger than last year. The fol- ving teams are preferred: Wilmerding sec Olympian Juniors, Freedom Juniors, Bea- Preps, Mt. Oliver, Knoxville, Allegheny eum Juniors and all other junior teams. dress Elmer Waldschmidt, 1290 Federal egheny.

MABEL RICHARDSON WON THE HANDICAP EVENT

It Was the Chief Event of the Bennings Card — Only Two Favorites Show Front.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Mabel Richardson won the chief event, a handicap for 2-year-olds and upward, at Benning today, and Gould took the hurdle race. Copperia and Nine Spot were the only successful favorites. Track fast. Summary:

First race, hurdle, 1¾ miles—Gould, 158, Bowser, 4 to 1 and 6 to 5, won; Goldsby, 162, Rodrick, even and 1 to 3, second; Caxton, 138, Jackson, 5 to 1, third. Time, 3:26 3-5.

Second race, maiden 2-year-olds, 6 furlongs—Loricate, 112, Treuber, 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, won; Prince Salm Salm, 112, Fletcher, 11 to 5 and even, second; Gaqueta, 112, H. Michaels, 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:16 1-5.

Third race, maiden 2-year-olds, 6 furlongs—Coppelia, 109, Redfern, 2 to 5 and out, won; Magic Flute, 109, Romanelli, 20 to 1 and 4 to 1, second; Belle Claire, 109, H. Michaels, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:16.

Fourth race, 3-year-olds and up, mile—Nine Spot, 104, Redfern, 8 to 5 and 3 to 5, won; Oclawaha, 104, Cummins, 15 to 1 and 7 to 1, second; Stonewall, 102, Treuber, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:42 4-5.

Fifth race, 3-year-olds and up, 7 furlongs—Paul Clifford, 110, H. Michaels, 11 to 5 and 4 to 5, won; Demurrer, 119, Byer, 3 to 1 and even, second; Enue, 105, Redfern, 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:30.

Sixth race, handicap, 2-year-olds and up, 1 1-16 miles—Mabel Richardson, 106, T. Burns, 7 to 2 and 7 to 5, won; Colonsay, 112, H. Michaels, 25 to 1 and 6 to 1, second; Trepan, 106, Redfern, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:51 3-5.

BEAU ORMONDE BEATEN.

Was Heavily Backed But Could Not Land the Race.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—Beau Ormonde, heavily backed at 6 to 5 in the mile race at Oakland today, was beaten by Proper, the second betting choice. Honiton made her first appearance and had no trouble beating Arabo, the favorite, in the fifth race. Weather fine, track good.

First race, 6½ furlongs, selling—Buccleuth, 105, D. Hall, 5 to 2, won; Thisbe, 98, Lewis, 5 to 1, second; Velma Clark, 104, I. Powell, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:21.

Second race, 5 furlongs, selling, 2-year-olds—F. E. Shaw, 101, Foley, 4 to 1, won; Ananias, 99, Reed, 3 to 1, second; Eugenia B., 104, D. Hall, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:00.

Third race, 6½ furlongs, selling—Bay Wonder, 103, Farrell, 7 to 10, won; Blissful, 105, Haack, 4 to 1, second; Quatre, 102, Hildebrand, 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:21½.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles, selling—Meehanus, 106, D. Hall, 3 to 1, won; Billy Moore, 93, Kunz, 8 to 1, second; Chub, 92, Lewis, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:48.

Fifth race, 7 furlongs—Honiton, 109, Adkins, 8 to 5, won; Arabo, 112, J. Martin, 6 to 5, second; Geheimness, 99, J. Booker, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:20½.

Sixth race, one mile—Proper, 108, J. Martin, 8 to 5, won; Beau Ormonde, 113, Adkins, 6 to 5, second; Dupont, 98, Chandler, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:40½.

OPENING HOCKEY GAME.

Will Be Played Tonight—Many Canadian Coaches Arrive to Join Team.

Everything is about ready for the opening of the hockey season at Duquesne Garden tonight. Archie Graham, Charles Ross, Alwine Kent, James McLaughlin and Dr. A. W. Bisnaw of the Bankers arrived yesterday. Erne Morgans and Dick Wilson of P. A. C. will get in this morning. The members of both teams will report at the Garden this afternoon for skating practice.

The new players who have arrived from Canada and elsewhere spent yesterday getting acquainted with the big Pittsburgh rink, fitting their uniforms, "tapeing" sticks and arranging their lockers. P. A. C. will blaze out in a new uniform of crimson and white, with the usual P. A. C. emblem. The Bankers' new uniforms will be all blue, with the letter B. in white. The advance sale of seats is unusually large, the indications being that the opening game will be a record breaker. The lineup will probably be:

Bankers.		P. A. C.
Graham	Goal	Ross
Phymister	Point	Morgans
Ross	Cover Point	Hamilton
Kent	Right Wing	McMillian
McLaughlin	Left Wing	McCarron
Bisnaw	Center	Wilson
Campbell	Forward	Robinson

WILL BE FAST FIGHT.

McClelland Will Cut Out Pace for Neary.

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Charlie Neary, the crack Milwaukee 130-pounder, will meet Jack McClelland, the Pittsburgh boxer, in the rooms of the Badger club at their show in Milwaukee next Friday night. McClelland, who can do 125 pounds easily, will give weight to Neary, but expects to win out on speed and ring experience. The bout ought to be lightning fast all the way through, with pretty even chances.

In the semi-finals Henry Fagin of Chicago takes on Charlie Barry of Milwaukee. Each man has gained a decision over the other and their third meeting promises a carload of furious punches. Jack Turner, a Chicago novice, meets Kid O'Leary of Milwaukee, and two Chicago bantams—Frank Carsey and Jimmy Murray—will box at 118 pounds. Harry Stout, once of Chicago and now a Milwaukee sport promoter, will act as referee.

THE AMATEUR LEAGUE.

Lawrenceville Seven Wins the Opening Contest.

Last night at the garden the Pittsburgh Amateur Hockey league opened its season with a game between the Lawrenceville and Pittsburgh clubs, and Lawrenceville won 1 to 0. The game was very fast for so early in the season. Lawrenceville's forward line showed remarkable speed and proved themselves to be strong factors in the race for the cup. The winning goal was shot by McKinnie on a pass from Eversberger a few seconds before the end of the first half. Thomas and Eversberger played a splendid game for Lawrenceville. The Pittsburgh club's team work was surprisingly good for a first game. Score and lineup:

Lawrenceville—1.		Pittsburgh—0.
M. O'Donnell	G	Engstrom
Thomas	P	Borchers
Sisk	C.P.	Groves
Eversberger	F	Johns
McKinnie	C	Brown
Flynn	R.W.	Finerty
T. O'Donnell	L.W.	Hilands

Referee—A. Cordell. Timekeeper—Mr. Coll. Goal—McKinnie.

JIMMY SCANLON IS COMING BACK HOME

MEMPHIS, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Jim Scanlon, the Pittsburgh boxer who recently won the heavyweight championship of Australia by beating McColl, has written to his backer here that he will reach America on December 3 to issue achallenge to any 179-pound boxer or under. Scanlon says he can do 160, and stated that he was coming to meet the winner of the Fitz-Gardner contest.

Today's Race Tips at Bennings.

The American and Journal selections at Bennings:

Best bets—Lord of the Valley, to win; Billy Ray, straight and place; All Gold, to win.
First race—Gloriosa, Blue and Orange.
Second race—Lord of the Valley, Harangue.
Third race—Billy Ray, Conover.
Fourth race—Sourire, Fort Hunter.
Fifth race—All Gold, Cornwall.
Sixth race—River Pirate, Carbuncle.

Nelson and Fitzgerald to Meet.

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Battling Nelson, the speedy Chicago boy, has been matched to fight Willie Fitzgerald of Brooklyn, N. Y., in Kansas City on December 15. The mill is scheduled to go 20 rounds. The boys will weigh in at 133 pounds and a good fight is looked for, as both feel confident.

Youngstown Has Bowling League.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—The Youngstown City Bowling league has been organized with a number of enthusiasts. E. R. Thompson is president and W. G. Evans secretary. Eight teams compose the league and the playing will commence December 7.

McGovern and Mowatt to Meet.

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Terry McGovern and Tom Mowatt will fight in the near future. They are matched for a battle in Chicago. It will probably be billed within two weeks.

LEXINGTON TRACK BEING IMPROVED

Captain Brown Will Have One of the Finest Race Courses in the Country.

WILL HOLD BIG MEETINGS

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

LEXINGTON, KY., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—At the end of another year Lexington, with the aid of Millionaire S. S. Brown, the Pittsburgh coal king, will have an up-to-date racing plant for running turf sports as complete in appointment as any racing park west of the Alleghanies. Already the old Kentucky association course is showing the effects of a change of ownership. The rickety old fencing has been replaced by new material and the property is rapidly being enclosed in an up-to-date style.

Manager W. Campbell Scott has at last divulged a few of Millionaire Brown's plans in regard to improving the time-honored plant in the next twelve months. The main track is to be widened on both the upper and club house turns, the ground necessary for the latter improvement being stripped off the main roadway, which with this loss will still be a roomy and fine driveway. The inner track for training purposes is to be also widened and both courses will have a perfect system of drainage, so an hour after the hardest kind of a rain there will be no signs of water on either track.

One vast improvement already contracted for is the laying of boulevard roadways all through the grounds, and these roads will be macadamized in the latest style. Manager Scott will put no workmen on the grand stand and club house before the coming spring. He will do as much outdoor work as possible the coming winter, and next turn his attention to the stables, to improve which he is now perfecting plans. A number of new buildings of this sort will be erected and the old structures not delapidated will be made as near new as possible.

To complete all the improvements now contemplated will take a year, and when finished the old course will, outside of one or two tracks in Chicago, have no rivals in appointments in the western country. Many of the big stables now in the habit of wintering at Memphis, Nashville and other southern points will stable here in the cold season of 1904 and 1905, and be on hand for a big spring meeting in the latter year, when many of the classic events of other days will be revived.

From Manager Scott's talk, when a meeting is given on the resurrected track it will be first-class in every particular and present plans are confined to holding one season of racing annually of about eight days duration in the spring of the year just preceding the Louisville meeting.

IN TWO BOWLING LEAGUES.

Kelleys and St. Michaels Win Two of Their Games Last Night.

The Kelleys won two games from the Pittsburgh team in the Drug league last night and the St. Michael's two from St. Vincent in the Diocesan league. Scores:

DRUG LEAGUE.

Kelly—			
Todd	134	159	196
Kane	128	126	101
Burgart	106	85	128
Deiney	121	154	136
Herron	147	115	166
Totals	636	639	727
Pittsburgh—			
Jorah	122	137	123
Pauley	168	154	97
Schilling	179	133	[illegible]
Defflin	122	106	[illegible]
Smith	109	103	115
Totals	700	633	573

DIOCESAN LEAGUE.

St. Vincent—			
C. Hahn	131	155	145
W. Pauline	120	...	113
Young	134	...	...
Lascheid	...	113	124
Diemer	134	137	152
Ruffenach	...	86	...
C. Hahn	143	153	183
Totals	662	644	717
St. Michael—			
Seibel	152	113	...
A. Stock	...	...	102
Paulus	156	159	147
Ringloff	165	148	174
Baumhoff	165	116	169
Totals	812	763	711

STILL BREAKING RECORDS.

Dan Patch Don't Seem to Mind Cold Weather or High Winds.

MACON, GA., Nov. 30.—In the face of a cold and driving wind, and with the temperature at 47 degrees, Dan Patch broke two world's pacing records today. To a high wheel sulky, he lowered Directum's record of 2:06 for a mile to 2:04¾. The time by quarters was :31, :30¾, :31¼ and :31¾.

Five minutes later, to the usual track sulky, he went two miles in 4:17, lowering Nervolo's record by two seconds flat. He was driven by M. E. McHenry, and the claim is made that, under the weather conditions, the races were perhaps the fastest ever known.

BEAVER COLLEGE GIRLS TO HAVE FAST TEAM

BEAVER, PA., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—The girls basketball team of Beaver college promises to be an exceptional fast aggregation. No less than 20 fair maidens are trying for the team and are being rapidly rounded into shape by Coach Tom Beaver. The squad has practiced three times a week in the college gymnasium. The windows of the gym have been frosted to prevent the boys getting their eyes on the girls. They will open their season next Saturday when they play the girls team of the Central High school, Pittsburgh, at Beaver.

MANCHESTER WINS FROM THE OLYMPIC PASSERS

McKeesport Five Is Beaten in Good Game by a 36 to 10 Score.

The Manchester five opened the league season in Manchester last night with the Olympic five of McKeesport, defeating them by 36 to 10. The game was played before a very large crowd. The Sterlings and the Olympics both had a large delegation of rooters with them, and the noise made by them completely drowned that of the home rooters before the big game started, but after that the bulk of the rooting was done by Manchester. The Olympics' rooters were well supplied with yells and songs and made things interesting for the rest of the spectators while waiting for the game to start.

President Luckhardt tossed the ball up between the two centers at 9:15, thus opening the first game of the Allegheny County league in Allegheny. The play was close at the start, neither side being able to score for fully five minutes. Koch of Manchester was the first one to strike the hole and sent the ball through amid great shouts from the spectators. Graham scored three goals from foul before either side succeeded in getting another goal from field. English scored first blood for Olympic, getting a goal from field after a pretty dribble down the floor. This set the McKeesport people going again, and they tooted their horns and hammered their cow-bells on the floor until Graham landed a nice goal from field from the left side of the basket. McCreight got one and English got another from field before the end of the half, bring their score up to six points, while Seibel and Walliser each got one for Manchester and Graham secured two more from foul, making the score at the end of the first half 13 to 6 in Manchester's favor. In the early part of the half Mulholland and Metzkes got into a scrimmage and both were put out of the game by Referee Seibel. Walliser took Metzke's place at center and Stewart replaced Mulholland.

In the second half Manchester got down to hard work and succeeded in scoring repeatedly from field, Koch getting five, Seibel four, Burry one and Graham one. Graham also got another point from foul. Olympic tried hard, but could not score a field goal until near the end of the half, when McCreight landed one through the net after a scrimmage with two of Manchester's players. This goal, with two from foul by McCreight, was the extent of the visitors' scoring in the second half, and the game ended with Manchester 26 points to the good. Lineup:

Manchester—36.		Olympics—10.
Seibel	R. F.	Mulholland, Stewart
Koch	L. F.	McCreight
Metzkes, Wallister		
Hay	C.	Myers
Graham	R. G.	Huggans
Burry	L. G.	English

Goals from field—Koch 6, Seibel 5, Graham 2, Burry, Walliser, English 2, McCreight 2. Goals from foul—Graham 6, McCreight 2. Fouls called—On Manchester, 12; on Olympics, 9. Referee—E. Seibel. Timer—E. Lowrie.

The Sterlings, in a preliminary, won their first league game from the Manchester Juniors, 24 to 13, and showed that they were faster than ever. For Sterling, McMahon, Lowry and Bertges did some fine shooting, while Yoedt and Criswell's passing and dribbling was very good. For Manchester, Alton shot well, while the whole Manchester team played a good game, but in Sterling they were up against it. Lineup:

Sterlings—26.		Manchester Jrs.—13.
McMahon	F	Graham
Lowry	F	O'Neil
Criswell	Center	King
Bertges	G	Hassler
Yoedt	G	Alton

Goals from field — McMahon 2, Lowry 4, Bertges 6, O'Neil, Alton 2, Graham 2. Goals from foul—McMahon, Criswell, O'Neil 2, Alton.

MINOR LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Sterling	1	0	1.000	Alle. Lyceum	0	0	.000
South Side	1	0	1.000	Manchester	0	1	.000
Pgh. Lyceum	0	0	.000	Mt. Oliver	0	1	.000

ALLEGHENY COUNTY MAJOR LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Manchester	1	0	1.000	Alle. Lyceum	0	0	.000
South Side	1	0	1.000	Olympics	0	1	.000
Pgh. Lyceum	0	0	.000	D. C. & A. C.	0	1	.000

THE NEW ORLEANS RACES.

Favorites and Outsiders Divided the Honors.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 30.—Favorites and outsiders divided the honors at the fair grounds today. The successful choices were New York, Gregor K. and Ethics. Weather clear; track fast. Summary:

First race, 4½ furlongs—Misanthrope, 103, Helgerson, 12 to 1, won; Symphony, 106, Gannon, 10 to 1, second; Ethel Scruggs, 103, Davisson, 12 to 1, third. Time, :55.

Second race, 1 1-16 miles—Ethics, 103, Cochran, even, won; The Regent, 99, Robbins, 6 to 1, second; Aladdin, 109, Hicks, 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:49.

Third race, mile—Gregor K., 107, McIntyre, 1 to 4, won; Ben Chance, 101, Munro, 6 to 1, second; Tioga, 97, Sinclair, 100, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:40 4-5.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs—Lady Free Knight, 88, L. Wilson, 10 to 1, won; Frank Bell, 114, H. Phillips, 7 to 5, second; Maister, 109, Galvin, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:14 2-5.

Fifth race, 6½ furlongs—Dutch Carter, 103, H. Phillips, 10 to 1, won; Ivernia, 106, Sinclair, 5 to 1, second; Pronta, 105, Cochran, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:21 3-5.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs—New York, 105, Fisher, 3 to 5, won; Scorpio, 107, Helgerson, 11 to 5, second; Tommy Foster, 105, Pollak, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:13 3-5.

WON OPENING GAME.

Beechwood Took Fine Contest from Highland.

At Duquesne garden last night the Beechwood and Highland hockey teams met in their first game of the season and the contest was won by the Beechwood team 1 to 0. The game was fast and both fought hard from start to finish. The score and lineup.

Beechwood—1.		Highland—0.
Engstrom	G	Jacobs
Lyons	P	Normecutt
Wooiridge	C.P.	Langdon
Stuart	F	Campbell
Eisenberger	C	Sylvus
Fater	L.W.	Crawford
Miller	R.W.	Wilson

Goal—Stuart.

Charges Breach of Contract.

A bill in equity was filed yesterday against the West Side Belt line in common pleas court No. 1 by Frederick Ruoff, alleging breach of contract. The railroad company bought land of Ruoff in West Liberty borough, and the latter states that an agreement was made by the railroad company to grade certain streets, but failed to do it in the manner prescribed.

HELEN GOULD OFFERS PRIZE FOR BIBLE ESSAY

Controversy With Priest Ends in Competition on Merits of Two Versions.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Resulting from the ban of the Roman Catholic church placed by the Rev. T. J. Earley, rector of the Church of the Immaculate Conception, on her class of 300 girls at Lyndhurst, Miss Helen Gould has offered $700 in prizes to be awarded for the best essays on the double topic: "The Origin and History of the Version of the Bible Approved by the Roman Catholic Church," and "The Origin and History of the American Revised Version of the English Bible."

This competition will be open to the world. Four hundred dollars will be given to the writer of the best essay; $200 for the second best and $100 for the third.

Ever since she was a child Miss Gould has had a sewing class at Lyndhurst. At a party given to the class by Miss Gould a few weeks ago sandwiches were served. As it happened to be Friday Father Earley was much disturbed. Correspondence between Miss Gould and Father Earley followed, in which notice was served on the clergyman that in the future scriptures would be read before the class. Attention was called to this by Miss Gould, who wrote: "The church you represent discourages the reading of the scriptures or Bible."

Father Earley replied denying the allegation, but adding: "But the Roman Catholic church does object to the reading of the Protestant version, which goes back only to the days of Henry VIII. of England and was then gotten up for obvious reasons."

So Miss Helen Gould has decided to offer a prize for the best essays regarding the origin and history of the two versions of the Bible.

FRANK A. FARKER.

BOY BANDITS ENTERED THEIR MURDER PLEA

Marx Admits His Guilt; the Other Three Plead "Not Guilty."

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Gustav Marx, the car barn murderer, tonight pleaded guilty of murder. His three accomplices, Van Dine, Neidemeier and Roeski, entered a plea of not guilty. Van Dine will, it is said, enter a plea of insanity, several members of his family being in asylums.

Van Dine and Niedemeier say they are willing to hang if they first see Marx executed. Marx informed upon them, but he justifies his betrayal in the fact that they tried to kill him. Roeski also claims they tried to kill him.

Mrs. Van Dine and Minnie Dunne, the bandit's sweetheart, have been engaged by a local museum at $400 a week. The dugout in Indiana, where the battle took place, is also on exhibition. The money thus obtained will be used to defend Van Dine. Mrs. Van Dine was totally in ignorance of her wayward son's actions and devoted most of her time to organizing anti-saloon clubs among boys.

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JIMMY SHALTO OUTPOINTS BART CONLEY OF POINT

Local 100 Pound Champion Has Better of Three Round Bout Before a West End Club.

Jimmy Shalto of Allegheny, the local 100-pound champion, cleanly outpointed Bart Conley of the Point in a three-round bout last night at a smoker held by the Independent club, West End. It was Shalto's first appearance this year and the Independent club management secured the tough scrapper from the Point as his opponent.

Conley put up his usual game fight, but the young Civic club fighter outsparred and had the better of him in the infighting, despite the fact that he was 20 pounds lighter. Conley weighed about 125 pounds. Shalto was very clever with his left and used it to good effect. Had there been a decision given the verdict would undoubtedly been awarded Shalto. Shalto's manager, John Dugan, challenged any local man to fight him at 100 pounds for a side purse.

The Independent club held its first entertainment of the season and nearly 500 persons were present to take in a well prepared program. The Shalto-Conley bout was the best of the night, although a scrap to decide the newsboys' championship was interesting. Joe Devlin and Kid Hays, both Pittsburgh newsies, weighing about 100 pounds each, went three fast rounds, which kept the spectators yelling. Devlin was the more aggressive but Hays showed the more cleverness. The verdict was a draw, which was the only decision given during the night. Kerns and Morgan, whistlers of the West End, opened the show and they were followed by a bout by the Clinton twins. Moore and Cook, two colored fighters of the West End, had an easy time for three rounds.

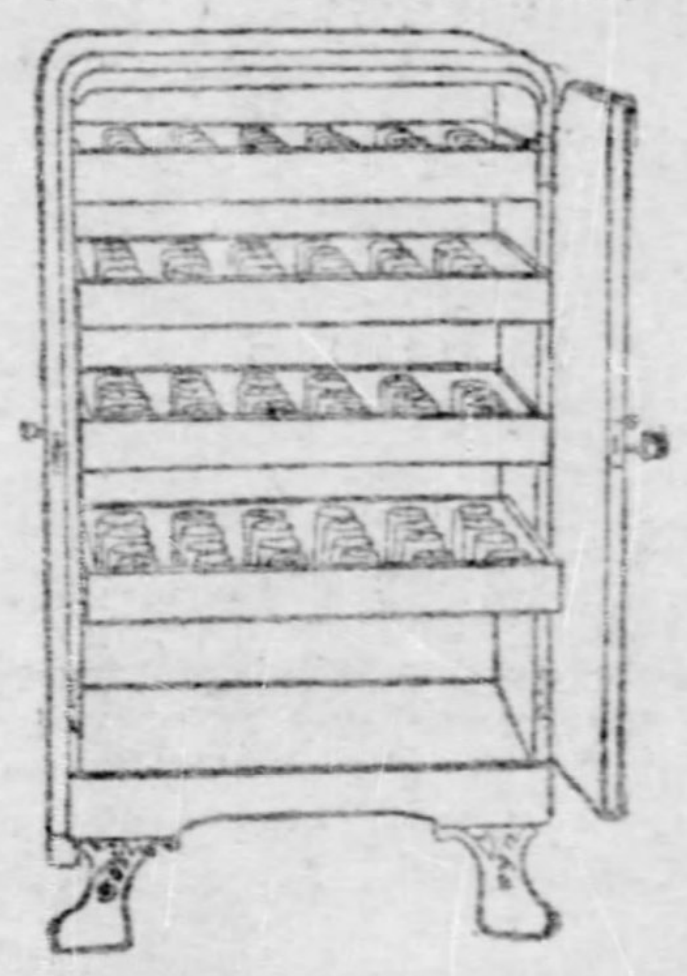
The Housrer brothers boxed, as only brothers can, and when they were through Edward Madagan of the West End made the hit of the evening with his Irish songs and monologue stunts. Charles Richardson of West End quit in the third round with Bruce of the Point, because of a damaged hand; Clouse of Pittsburgh, and Logan of the West End went three rounds and then Bowdin and McGuire, two 115 pounders, furnished a lively set-to. Paul Moore of the Civic club and Dan Richardson of West End had a hot bout before the Shalto-Conley scrap. Yock Henninger refereed the bouts and Jimmy Harkins, the well-known baseball player, was the official timekeeper.

Madison Five Snowed Under.

The Duquesne basketball team of Allegheny defeated the Madison A. A. last night in a loosely-played game in Lafayette hall 106 to 4. The features of the game were the guarding of Schultz, Kiefer and Balliet, and the shooting of Schmidt, Schultz and Kifer. The first half was interesting, ending 16 to 4, but in the second half the Duquesnes snowed Madison under. Score:

W. Kifer	F	W. Meir
A. Wilson	F	A. Haefly
G. Schmidt	C	E. Balliet
C. Schultz	G	J. Hawk
B. Kiefer	G	F. Williams

Field goals—Schmidt 21, Kiefer 19, Schultz 9, Kiefer 3, Haefly, Hawk. Foul—Schmidt, Kiefer.



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NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Three new entries, making a total of fourteen American teams entered for the international championship six-day bike race which begins in Madison Square Garden Sunday at midnight, have been received. The new teams are Patsey Keegan of Lowell, and Charlie Turville, Woody Hodspeth of Chicago, and Melvin T. Dove of this city (colored) and McDonald, the crack amateur of Boston, and A. Byermann of this city. Dove, McDonald and Byerman and Oliver Dorion, who will ride with Eddy Root, will make their debut as professionals in this race and the chances of Dorion and his partner and McDonald and Byermann are considered excellent.

There will be several new faces in the race this year and they will bear watching. Johnny Fisher, who for years was one of America's foremost sprinters, will have Jimmy Bowler, another fast man, for his partner. "Bobby" Walthour, who won the race two years ago, and "Benny" Munroe of Tennesse, also an absentee last year, will represent the south in the race, the champion Frank Kramer, who will make his first start in a six-day race, has teamed with Will Fenn.

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(No. 134.)

AN ORDINANCE.—Authorizing and ordering the construction of a public sewer on Ohio street, Eighth ward, from Ravine street to the northeast line of houses of Chambers' heirs, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the construction of a public sewer on Ohio street, Eighth ward, from Ravine street to the northeast line of houses of Chambers' heirs, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 19th day of November, A. D. 1903.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., November 25th, A. D. 1903. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 131.)

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the appointment by the bureau of health of two special tenement house inspectors, and fixing their compensation.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the bureau of health is hereby given the authority to employ two special tenement house inspectors, one of whom shall be a woman, whose duty it shall be to enforce the provisions of the act of assembly approved the 25th day of April, 1903, and entitled a supplement to an act entitled "An act creating a bureau of health in the department of public safety in cities of the second class, defining the powers and duties thereof and the officers thereunder, prescribing rules, regulations and laws respecting the public health, and authorizing and imposing fines, penalties and punishments for violations thereof," approved June 26, 1895.

Sec. 2. Each of said inspectors shall receive a salary of seventy-five ($75) dollars per month.

Sec. 3. For the year 1903, and until the next appropriation ordinance is passed, the salary of said inspectors shall be paid out of appropriation No. 7, item No. 1.

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WHAT THE THEATERS HAVE TO OFFER

Alvin—"A Country Girl."

Musical comedies that come to us from the English workshop of Impresario George Edwardes are as much alike as peas. Fortunately they are "sweet peas" with all the freshness and fragrance of that pretty bloom. It would require more space than this review can give to name all the authors who have had a hand in making the music and book of "A Country Girl" which came to the Alvin last evening. It doesn't matter much anyway. It is sufficient to know that they have given us a really delightful, crisp, clean entertainment. Just a simple, sweet, quiet story, set to music that no where grows brilliant or "baugy" but everywhere trills and sparkles along like a gentle wayside brook. Indeed, "A Country Girl" is true to her name. The first act suggests waving fields of corn and the droning of the honey bees in the clover. Here a pretty little story of two fond lovers and two pretty lassies is commenced and some Indian people, with a picturesque rajah and a swarthy princess. The second act is in striking contrast and is beautiful in the building of the ministry of the interior, London. The ladies' gowning is exceedingly handsome, and it may be well to add that "A Country Girl" nowhere inflicts upon the much overdone "tights," the girls all wore decorous gowns.

This bright, elemental comedy is interpreted by an excellent cast of principals. Miss Helen Marvin, who plays the title role, is an actress of ability if not possessed of a particularly strong singing voice. Her Devonshire lass is as natural and unaffected as the genuine article. The Sophie of Miss Deyo is quite charming and her dancing was delightful. Miss Alice Mallyn as Marjorie has a delightful singing voice and uses it effectively, and the same may be said of Miss Genevieve Findlay as the Princess. Miss Isobel Delmont in a small part may be considered as the beauty of the company, however. Of the men in the cast Johnny Slavin and Hallyn Mostyn, who furnish the comedy, deserve by far the largest share of praise. Slavin is immensely funny in a role that permits him to assume several disguises, not the least amusing being that of a young belle at a ball. Slavin has broadened his comedy methods but we have never seen him do more effective work. Hallyn Mostyn is ridiculous as the Raja of Bhong in his own quiet way, while two songs, "The Rajah of Bhong" and "Peace, Peace" were the musical and song comedy hits of the piece. Milville Stewart is manly as a young naval officer, though his voice seemed not so good as formerly. Clarence Harvey as an old Devonshire man and Harold Vizard as a ridiculous squire helped out the excellence of a cast that is full of the old Daly thoroughness in doing things of this kind.

There are quite a number of bright, catchy songs and the ensemble music is fully up to the Edwards level with, of course, here and there reminders of things that we have heard from the same source before. "A Country Girl" is a quiet, sweet wayside flower, and those who like musical comedy as it was in the beginning should make her acquaintance.

Grand—"The Cowboy and the Lady."

When Clyde Fitch wrote "The Cowboy and the Lady" for N. C. Goodwin he had not been caught in the meshes of New York society study. "The Cowboy" is a distinctly "other" type. It is a mixture of Bret Harte, Joaquin Miller, and several other writers of western types, with enough of Clyde Fitch's own imagination to spoil the broth. But "The Cowboy and the Lady," improbable as it is, and false as it is in atmosphere and character drawing, is a play that will please the average theater-goer, for it is melodramatic, has a hero who is part cowboy and part Harvard graduate, has a group of impossible western types in it, and is sprinkled with an occasional volley of profanity and pistol shots, ends in a court trial and everybody happy. Teddy North is the hero played by Mr. Ingersoll at the Grand. He falls in love with a married woman, whose husband is afterward killed by an Indian half-breed. Suspicion points to the wife as the murderess, but North gallantly shoulders the blame, and in the trial the Indian is forced to confess his guilt and everything is straightened out. The play moves along rapidly, there is some excellent comedy, and the last act is dramatic in the presentation of a defense by the Indian and his final breakdown and confession.

Mr. Ingersoll does creditably a role written for Nat Goodwin, though like that comedian, he is struggling with the impossible. The Indian is capitally played by Robert Wayne, though this role, too, is a difficult one. Miss Eva Taylor is better in the emotional scenes than in those requiring a wild and reckless spirit. Marion Berg scores again heavily as Midge. All things considered, her work is the best of the cast. Mr. McVay and Mace Greenleaf, however, do the work assigned them with great skill and naturalness. They are better types of the western rancher than even Mr. Fitch provided. Miss Louise Rial is amusing as a "pianist," and Charles Abbe, Scott Siggins and the other members of the company give excellent support. The play is well mounted.

Empire—"The Pride of Jennico."

There is something in store for those patrons of the Empire who did not brave the weather last night to see Edward Mawson and his company in "The Pride of Jennico." Company is not said advisedly, for Mr. Mawson has not relied upon his own talents to produce a satisfactory result. In addition to able support there is adequate scenery for each of the four acts which, with good properties and excellent stage management, add much.

The play has been on the boards long enough to prove its strength and popularity. In the hands of Mr. Mawson and his company several more years will doubtless be added to the life of "The Pride of Jennico." Suffice the plot of the play to say that Mr. Mawson is a true type of the romantic actor and that there are opportunities of showing his love for a lady by thrilling sword fights. The action of the play increases from act to act until—it couldn't happen otherwise—the villain is driven through and falls over a cliff. Mr. Mawson doesn't lay claim to the title of "romantic actor" by wearing suitable clothes and swaggering. He is endowed with a pleasing personality, good physique and voice and he gains his ends by entirely natural means. Last evening was his first visit to the Empire, and judging from his reception—he was forced to respond with a speech after the third act—he will prove a favorite. Of the cast William Hawley as Eugen von Rothenburg, and Miss Helen Harrington as the gypsy, deserve especial mention.

Bijou—"For Her Children's Sake."

There is plenty of opportunity to hiss the villain at the Bijou theater this week. "For Her Children's Sake," a melodrama with sufficient excitement to stock half a dozen wild west shows, has returned to greet its old friends and was received yesterday with two immense audiences. It has been seen here before and its stirring plots and counter-plots are familiar to patrons of the house. The piece is interpreted by a good company and the work of the LaMont children, a clever pair of child actresses, is commendable. In the first act a thoroughly indecent effort to produce a laugh is a feature of the show that should be dispensed with at once. This violation of the rules of decency on the stage may provoke mirth with certain people, but it is abhorrent to the majority, and the management should have it cut out promptly.

Avenue—The Fadettes.

The Avenue with the Fadettes as the star attraction can justly lay claim to the most popular vaudeville entertainment that has come to Pittsburgh this season. In its musical numbers the program excels many that are offered to the patrons of opera airs. The Fadettes won the favor of Pittsburghers at the exposition and their reappearance here at the Avenue last night drew a crowded house of thoroughly appreciative listeners in which there were many ladies. The hearty encores given testified to the popularity of this organization. To miss the Fadettes is to let pass a fine opportunity to enjoy an evening of music that in its variety appeals to the tastes of everyone. No less enjoyable is the singing of Louise Brehaney, the talented vocalist, who has a way all her own to bring out the sweetness of her songs.

In comedy the Avenue program is away above the average. Harrigan, the prince of tramp jugglers, is there—enough in itself to warrant a good time. And the person who has once seen Midgley and Carlisle in their inimitable "After School" is not likely to turn away from them this time. The contingent of fun-makers also includes Haines and Vidocq, rapid fire story tellers of the sure-to-make-you-laugh variety, and Irving Jones, whose home-made songs would add spice to the jolliest entertainment. A feature of the performance is the pathetic presentation of "The Old Neighborhood" by Callahan and Mack. The whirlwind tumbling of DeWitt, Burns and Torrence is a surprise to lovers of athletics, and their pole climbing specialty was a decided puzzle.

Duquesne—Star Vaudeville.

The acrobatic act of Keno, Walsh and Melrose offers the only novelty at the Duquesne theater this week. Their principal feature is a decided departure from any muscular, balancing or leverage feats seen here before. Other numbers of the bill are entertaining and include Myles McCarthy and Aida Woolcott in a laughable skit called "A Race Tout's Dream." Mr. McCarthy is a Pittsburgh product and will be easily recognized by those who knew him as John F. Palmer, one time press agent of the Duquesne theater. "Quo Vadis Upside Down," by Shean and Warren, proved as enjoyable to the audience last night as it did last season, and Laura Bennett has an excellent monologue in "Betty Better's Wedding Tower." Ed Latell, musical comedy man, delighted the audience with his banjo playing, and Harry Thompson mixes some funny impersonations with a humorous monologue. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Shaw are the best dancing team seen here this season. George E. Austin pleased with his comedy wire-walking and Belle Hathaway's monkey show kept the audience in their seats until the curtain fell. The Duquesne has a new orchestra director in the person of William Staley, formerly connected with Victor Herbert's orchestra.

Academy—"The Merry Maidens."

That jolly aggregation of vaudeville and burlesque talent known as the Merry Maidens graces the stage of the Academy this week. Two lively burlesques and an olio of high class make up the program, with lots of pretty maid attractiveness in the former and people as good as the best in the vaudeville houses on the latter. The opening number, "The Merry Maidens at the French Ball," serves to introduce all the maids in a series of new musical hits and in many changes of costume seen only at the Academy. Alice Leslie as a dashing soubrette was well received and Dan and Jessie Hiatt were encored again and again in their musical turn. Sam Rice and Sheppard Camp introduced a lot of brand new parodies and the Johnson trio made good with one of the funniest sketches of the season. The Duffin Redcay troupe execute a lot of acrobatic work on high bars which is a new turn, and called "The Casting Act." Nellie Hanly concludes the olio with illustrated songs and scored her usual success.

Seat Sale for "The Nixon."

The auction sale of seats for the first performance in the new Nixon theater will start at 2 o'clock this afternoon in the Alvin theater. This sale is unique in the history of Pittsburgh theatricals. Except in the case of the sale for the Pittsburgh orchestra, no amusement event has ever occurred here justifying a sale by this method. For the last month there have been so many inquiries by mail and in person concerning details of the sale of seats for the first night of the new Nixon that to dispose of seats for the initial performance in the new house in the customary way and give satisfaction to all who desire to attend was deemed entirely out of the question. The sale this afternoon will be attended by representatives of the most exclusive social circles of the two cities, and it is expected that all of the seats and boxes for next Monday night will be disposed of. The auctioneer will occupy the stage, where a large diagram showing the location of the seats and boxes will be in view. Bids for the first choice will be asked, and the amount will represent the premium that the bidder will pay for the privilege of having first choice. He will then purchase the number of seats he desires, paying therefor the regular price of seats at $2 each. The second, third and fourth choice will then be put up, and so on until all of the seats are disposed of. The same rule will apply to the purchase of the boxes. If any of the seats for the first night remain unsold after the auction sale they will be disposed of in the customary way, commencing at 9 o'clock on the following morning at a specially constructed box office in the inner lobby of the Alvin theater. There will be an orchestra present during the auction sale and the event itself will be interesting and entertaining.

E. H. Sothern in "The Proud Prince."

In "The Proud Prince" E. H. Sothern gives us the great delight of the dramatic season. His appearance has been eagerly awaited, and he will be enthusiastically welcomed at the Alvin theater next Monday evening. The sale of seats commences Thursday morning. Sothern brings on tour his entire organization complete, including the magnificent accoutrements of the play, the massive scenic investiture and his large dramatic organization of principals and supernumeraries. It is promised that the production of the play so conspicuous during his recent long run in New York will be seen here.

The Christmas Pantomime.

Extraordinary interest is manifest not only in Pittsburgh and Allegheny, but in surrounding towns as far distant as 100 miles, in this year's gorgeous Christmas pantomime, "Babes in the Woods," which will open Monday afternoon, December 21. Manager Davis has expended $50,000 on the scenery and costumes alone, while more than 300 persons will be employed on the stage. In addition to the principal members of the stock in the leading roles, Manager Davis has secured a number of players from New York city. The famous Kiralfy ballet of 60 dancers, with four celebrated premieres, will be a pleasing feature.

LORD JOHN RUSSELL A REFORMER OF PARLIAMENT

Representation in England a Century Ago and Securing Household Suffrage.

Prof. George Elliott Howard delivered the fourth lecture in the series, "Six Leaders of Social Liberty in England," before a good-sized audience last night in the lecture hall of Carnegie institute. Lord John Russell, the leader of parliamentary reform in England, was discussed. The social and political conditions at the beginning of the agitation for reform were shown to be corrupt. The condition of England and the attention which Napoleon, and America required kept reform back for many years.

Prof. Howard quoted from authorities, statements which showed that the house of commons was controlled by peers and that only one-third of the members were elected by the people. The discussion explained the situation of boroughs of a scant population, so-called "rotten boroughs," having one and two representatives in the house while cities like Birmingham and Leeds were not represented.

Attempts to bring about a fair representation brought on a struggle between the land-owners and the manufacturers which threatened a revolution. Landowners held the balance of power and fought to keep it. John Wilkes, who was discussed at the third lecture, attempted a reform in 1776 which was about the same as Lord Russell brought about in 1832, when he secured the disfranchisement of 143 boroughs and gave the representation to the large cities, where representatives could be elected by the people.

The next lecture is related to the results of Lord Russell's reform and is about the Earl of Shaftesbury and industrial emancipation.

Paralytic Stroke May Be Fatal.

John G. Ingham, manager of the Stone Mining Company, with offices in the Hamilton building, who was stricken with paralysis late Saturday evening shortly after reaching his home in Perrysville avenue, Allegheny, is in a critical condition. He is not liable to survive.

Hunter Is Now Congressman.

FRANKFORT, KY., Nov. 30.—The Kentucky election commission today issued a certificate of election to congress from the Eleventh district to Dr. W. Godfrey Hunter, late minister to Guatemala. The official vote stood, Dr. Hunter, 6,227; D. C. Edwards, 6,112, and John D. White, 4,457.

SOCIETY

ONE of the most important social affairs of the winter season in Pittsburgh will be the wedding of Miss Virginia Johnston, daughter of the late Ross Johnston, and Harry Frazier Harris of Philadelphia. It will be conducted on Wednesday evening, December 9, at 5 o'clock. A number of handsome entertainments will precede the ceremony, the large bridal party including several out-of-town girls and many men from other cities, who will be entertained extensively during their stay in Pittsburgh. Miss Johnston has been a belle since her debut three years ago, occupying a prominent position in the smartest social circles in which her mother, Mrs. Harvey Childs, Jr., has always moved.

The bridal party will be a large one, including a maid of honor, best man, eight bridesmaids and as many ushers. Miss Gertrude Childs will be Miss Johnston's maid of honor, and the bridesmaids will include Miss Laura McGinley, Miss Margaretta Wood, Miss Ada McCrea and Miss Martha Ferguson of Pittsburgh; Miss Eleanor Wilson of Wilmington, Del.; Miss Helen Morris of New York, Miss Frances Stotesbury of Philadelphia, and Miss Hazel Corning of Peoria, Ill. Le Grand Griswold of New York is to the best man, and the ushers will be Jack Perry of New York, Charles Platt of Philadelphia, Henry D. Sleeper of Boston, Lawrence Benson of Philadelphia, Charles Reedes of Baltimore, Isaac Roberts of Philadelphia, Harry Markoe of Philadelphia and Jarvis Geer of this city.

The Rev. Dr. Edward H. Ward will perform the ceremony in St. Peter's Protestant Episcopal church, Forbes street and Craft avenue. Preceding the wedding there will be quite a number of social affairs. Mrs. Augustus P. Burgwin will give a large luncheon on Saturday of this week; next Monday afternoon Miss McCrea will give a luncheon, and on the day following Miss Ferguson will entertain in the same manner. On the evening preceding the wedding the rehearsal will take place, and Miss Johnston will entertain the members of the bridal party at dinner. Miss Wilson, one of the out-of-town bridesmaids, will be the guest of Miss Ferguson. Miss Morris will visit Mrs. William G. Park, who is occupying the Herbert Hostetter house, in Western avenue, Allegheny, and the two other out-of-town bridesmaids will be entertained by Miss Johnston. After a wedding trip of about six weeks, Mr. Frazier and his bride will be at home to their friends in Philadelphia. Early in February the young couple will go abroad for an extensive tour of Europe.

Miss Johnston is one of the most popular members of a large circle of Farmington girls. She is a member of the Farmington society and made her debut at a large reception given by her mother, Mrs. Harvey K. Childs, Jr., a few seasons ago. Mr. Harris is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Campbell Harris of Philadelphia, and is a graduate of Princeton university. The engagement of the young couple was announced last spring at a large luncheon at which Mrs. Childs was hostess.

Mrs. Mellon's Reception.

Mrs. William Larimer Mellon set the social ball rolling this week with a large and handsome reception yesterday afternoon for Miss Mary Mellon, a cousin of Mr. Mellon. The hours were from 4 o'clock until 6, and assisting the hostess and her honor guest, who received together, were all the debutantes of the season, with Mrs. James Hartman, Mrs. Henry R. Hilliard, Mrs. William L. Jones, Mrs. Moses B. Suydam, Mrs. Richard S. Suydam, Mrs. Leonard G. Woods, Mrs. James B. Laughlin, Mrs. William George, Mrs. James Verner Scaife, Mrs. J. Ramsey Speer, Mrs. Reuben Miller, Jr., Mrs. James Mellon, Mrs. Andrew W. Mellon, Mrs. Thomas A. Mellon, Mrs. Thomas Mellon, Miss Young, Miss Rhodes, Miss Mary Rhodes and Miss Susie Dilworth.

Mrs. Mellon wore a beautiful gown of gray crepe de chine with trimmings of blue, while Miss Mellon was becomingly gowned in white. The house is modeled after the English style of architecture, the large porches and roomy walks in the back giving the effect of a vast estate, while in the front the stone steps lead down over a wide sloping lawn. The decorations yesterday were simple. Entrances from either side of the house open into the spacious hall, finished in dark oak, with a quaint hooded fireplace of wood and brick. The lighting throughout the house is very effective, in the hall coming from two large globes on the beamed ceiling and numerous groups of sidelights. The only floral adornment in the hall was an immense jardiniere of yellow chrysanthemums and autumn foliage placed on a central table, while in the rear were stationed the musicians, hidden by rush screens and palms. The most elaborate decorations were seen in the pretty pink and white drawing room, where the debutante's bouquets, running the gamut of the whole realm of flowerhood, were placed in arches over the windows, hung with rose curtains. Especially beautiful is the central cone-shaped chandelier formed entirely of crystal, glittering and sparkling from the light within.

American Beauties were in the library, with its dark green walls and mahogany finishings. On the large mantel was a vase of the magnificent blooms, while other vases were placed on cabinets desks and tables. The light in the library is furnished by groups of small sidelights on the walls and also from the globes over the paintings. A cozy apartment off the hall is the brown and green billiard room, also opening from the library with several wide steps leading from the entrance down to the table in the center of the room. Over the table hangs a row of three shades of dark brown, through which the light is diffused. Smaller lights are on the walls.

An exquisite centerpiece of oncidiums and delicate greenery occupied the dining room table, with its cover of lace and candelabra of silver. A low-hanging opalescent shade of yellow tints focused the light on the centerpiece, while through the rooms rays were sent out from fringed candelabra on the walls.

Miss Mellon spent last summer abroad. She is at present making her home with her brother, Thomas A. Mellon, but will shortly live with another brother, E. P. Mellon, when he will occupy the house in Bayard street in which Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mellon formerly resided. Mrs. Thomas A. Mellon will entertain for her at a luncheon December 8 at the Pittsburgh Golf club.

Entertaining for the Countess.

Of paramount social interest today will be the reception which Mrs. Thaw is to give at "Lyndhurst" for the two brides, her daughter, the countess of Yarmouth, and her new daughter-in-law, Mrs. Josiah Copley Thaw. Mrs. George Lauder Carnegie, Mrs. Thaw's elder daughter, will also share in the honors of the occasion. The large afternoon reception will be followed by a dinner for the assisting ladies and as many gentlemen.

Yesterday was socially very quiet at "Lyndhurst," many old friends of the countess, however, being received informally. Later in the week Lord Yarmouth will return to New York. He will not be present at the dinner Dallas Byers is to give on Saturday evening at the Byers mansion in Ridge avenue, Allegheny. On Monday both brides will be in attendance at the first of the Monday night cotillions in the Pittsburgh club theater. Mrs. Henry L. Collins will give a dinner in their honor before the cotillion, while later in the evening and following the cotillion Mrs. Frederick C. Perkins will be hostess at a supper for the same guests of honor. Next Tuesday evening will be the wedding of Miss Virginia Johnston and Harry F. Harris of Philadelphia, followed by a large and brilliant reception given by Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Childs, Jr. Miss Eleanor Wilson, who will be one of Miss Johnston's bridesmaids, was one of the maids attending Miss Alice Thaw when she became the countess of Yarmouth last April.

The Yarmouths have made a change in their plans within the last few days, and, though at first intending to return to spend the Christmas holidays in England, will now remain in this country and spend the Christmas season at Plum Orchard, the winter home of Mr. and Mrs. George Lauder Carnegie at Dungeness, Cumberland Island. Mrs. Thaw will probably join them there for the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Copley Thaw, however, expect to go abroad early this month.

Club Musicale.

The Tourist club is planning to give a musicale on Monday afternoon, December 14, in the assembly room of the Business Women's club, in Arch street, Allegheny. The pianists will be Mrs. Anson J. Dill, Miss Julia E. Doran and Miss Mary Ure. Miss Marion Gaston, Mrs. Arthur Thatcher and Miss Emma Foltz will be vocal soloists, and the program will include four songs by the club quartet, consisting of Miss Alice Stephens, Miss Emma Foltz and the Misses Day. The Misses Day will also sing a duet. The Tourist club will have for its special guests on that day all the officers of the women's clubs of Pittsburgh and the adjoining towns.

In Honor of Miss Aiken.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Augustus Weed gave a small and informal euchre last evening, with Miss Harriett Aiken, Mrs. Weed's debutante cousin, as honor guest. The affair was informally conducted, and only about five tables were in use. Three pretty prizes were awarded to the guests. The decorations, which were simple, consisted of a few flowers, chiefly chrysanthemums. Mr. and Mrs. Weed, since their marriage some months ago, have been making their home with Mrs. Weed's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward McKee Aiken, in Shadyside.

Art Society Reception.

The 302d reception of the Art Society will be given tonight in the Pittsburgh Carnegie music hall. The occasion will be interesting because of the first appearance in Pittsburgh of Bogea Oumiroff, a Bohemian baritone, and a re-appearance after four seasons of Miss Mary Hallock, pianist, of Philadelphia. A very charming joint recital program has been arranged.

Mrs. Ruple Entertained.

Miss Gladys Ruple of Cleveland, a niece of the hostess, and Miss Ethel Griffith of the East End shared honors at the tea given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. J. Goodrich Ruple at her home in Howe street, East End. The affair was very informal, invitations having been sent out by telephone. Mrs. Ruple and her two honor guests received together, and were assisted by a number of friends.

Mrs. Carroll's Luncheon.

Mrs. Alexander Rook Carroll will enter the list of hostesses this week when she gives a luncheon on Friday in honor of Miss Miller of Baltimore, who is expected in the city this evening to be the house guest of Mrs. Carroll for several weeks.

Holiday Bazar.

The Macedonian Mission band of the Central Presbyterian church of Allegheny will hold a holiday bazar at the home of Mrs. Anderson, in Fremont street, Thursday evening. Useful and fancy articles, candies, etc., will be on sale, and the proceeds will go into the building fund for the new church.

Notes of Society.

One of a series of euchres will be given this evening at the Edgeworth clubhouse.

Miss Harriett Nimick of South Fairmount avenue entertains at cards this evening.

A musicale will be given this evening at the Brighton Country club. The affair will be the second in a series.

A Christmas bazar will be conducted this afternoon and evening in the lecture room and parlors of Calvary Methodist Episcopal church, Allegheny.

The second of the Tuesday night dances will be held this evening in Conservatory hall, Dithridge street. The next dance will be the Christmas one on December 19, and will be conducted at The Schenley.

The Anona Euchre club of the East End will be entertained this evening at the home of Miss Alice Hesson in Ellsworth avenue. The entertainment after the euchre will take the form of a musicale and dance.

DEMANDED PAY FOR NURSING HER OWN CHILD

The board of health of McKeesport last night was presented with a bill for $75 by Mrs F. E. Rogers, who wants the money for five weeks' nursing of her child, Inez, who was sick with smallpox. Mrs. Rogers accompanied her child to the municipal hospital and helped nurse it although she became ill herself and was attended by the city physician. The board approved the course of Clarence E. Walker, health officer, who has been prosecuting boarding house keepers for crowding their houses.

Youthful Highwaymen Caught.

Andrew Schultz and John Avon, both 14 years of age, were arrested yesterday morning by Detectives Leon Einstein and John King. The lads admit being implicated in the robbery of Mrs. T. D. McDonough in East Lacock street Sunday morning. Their companion, Fred Zering, when arrested Sunday gave the names of his companions to the police. The trio confess to snatching a purse from Miss Sophia Weber at Union avenue and North Diamond street a week ago last Saturday. They will appear today before Magistrate Abernathy.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Edward Dill	Bedford, Pa.
Etta Milburn	Bedford, Pa.
Thomas Ferguson	Allegheny
Abbie Beardmore	Allegheny
Edgerton Stockdale	Pittsburgh
Clara Scott	Youngstown, O.
Daniel Snyder	Pittsburgh
Margaret W. Davis	Pittsburgh
William H. Morton	Pittsburgh
Maggie Hurley	Pittsburgh
Albert F. McGarrah	Allegheny
M. Alice Kiskaddon	Bellevue
Felice Notte	Pittsburgh
Annie Kiest	Pittsburgh
Abe Sukolsky	Pittsburgh
Celia Levine	West Wilmerding
August Pape	Pittsburgh
Selma Aschemann	Pittsburgh
Michael Nusochs	Pittsburgh
Mary Merkel	Pittsburgh
David A. Rowley	Breckenridge, Pa.
Louisia Endlich	Hites, Pa.

Among the Clubs

Bazar for Scolarship Fund.

The resident students of the Pennsylvania College for Women will hold a parlor bazar next Friday afternoon at the college for the benefit of a scholarship fund. This scholarship is one the students of the college have supported for nearly a quarter of century, and by means of it a young Japanese girl is educated in a school in Tokyo, Japan. The students became interested in this work largely through the interest they took in the work of Miss Johanna Davis, a former student of the Pennsylvania College for Women, who went from Pittsburgh to Tokyo to teach and engage in missionary work. Each year some Japanese girl is educated in one of the private schools in Tokyo. The scholarship amounts to about $100 a year.

At the bazar there will be an interesting exhibition of 80 dolls dressed by the students, which are not for sale, but will be presented to the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Free Kindergarten association for distribution among the children in the free kindergartens. Many of the Kings Daughters and other societies dress dolls for the same purpose, the result being hundreds of dolls to give to poor children.

Christmas Box for Birmingham, Ala.

A Christmas box for the students in the school conducted by the Rev. J. L. Bascom in Birmingham, Ala., will be packed and shipped next Saturday afternoon. It will be filled with contributions made by members of the Young Peoples branch of the missionary societies of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Presbyteries who will hold their regular monthly meeting tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, in the Second Presbyterian church, Penn avenue and Seventh street. Contributions will be gathered at that time.

Turkey and the Crusades.

A specially interesting literary program was presented at the regular fortnightly meeting of the Tourist club yesterday afternoon. The club took for its special topic "The Crusade." A paper on "Turkey in Europe" was presented by Mrs. John Prichard. "The Crusade" was the subject of a talk by Miss Stoner, followed by readings by Mrs. Alfred Pettit selected from Tasso's "Jerusalem Redeemed." Mrs. John Cowley also gave a reading, "Impressions of Constantinople," a translation from "D'Amicis." The music included selections by Miss Julia E. Doran, who played a sherzo in E flat minor, Chopin, and an etude, Paginini-Lizst. Mrs. Arthur Thatcher sang a couple of delightful songs, "A Little Thief" and "A Memory," her accompanist being Mrs. A. J. Dill. The program was concluded with an informal talk on the "Harems and the Turkish Women."

Reception to Mme. Angelini.

The Waldensian society of Pittsburgh will give a reception on Thursday evening, December 3, in the Twentieth Century club house. The guest of honor will be Madame Angelini, who will tell of her work in Italy. Madame Angelini and her husband for years have worked among the peasants of Italy within a short distance of Rome, the people among whom they labor being among the poorest and most oppressed. Madame Angelini makes a trip to this country each year to raise money to carry on this work in Italy. In addition to her address and the social features, a fine musical program will be given under the direction of Joseph H. Gittings.

Anti-Smoot Crusade.

The Women's Christian Temperance union has arranged for a series of talks by Dr. Sarah J. Elliott on the "Relation of Reed Smoot to the Mormon Church." This is directly in line with the Women's Christian Temperance union's crusade against Smoot.

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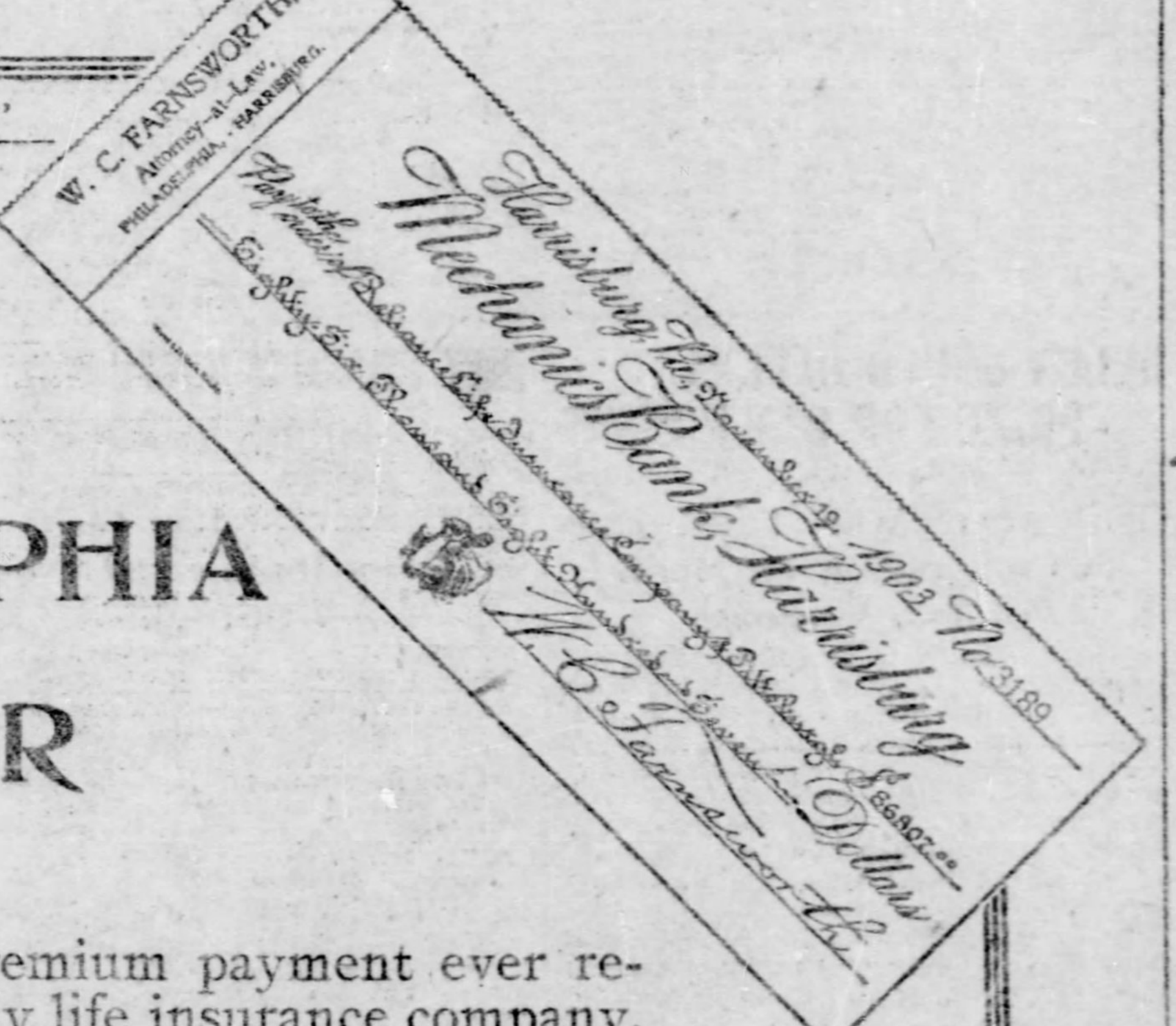

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ATTENTION, SOLDIERS! 133

Surely the testimony of one of the survivors of the war of '61 will carry conviction to the mind of every thinking individual. We all know the suffering and privation which the men went through during those years of fighting, and also the depleted physical condition of many of them at the close.

Dodge Center, Minn., May 23, 1903.

Gentlemen: I am one of the survivors of the U. S. sanitary commission of the civil war. I am 67 years old, and owe my comfort in living these later years of my life to your Shredded Wheat, which I have used from my first knowledge of it, six years ago or more. I write to say that I have just received your circulars, "The Vital Question," and Gen. Booth's "Eureka." I am amazed at the extent of your operations and the large, educative way your work is extending. Thousands of our brave fellows died of sheer hospital starvation from inability to assimilate the eternal toast and tea and farina and corn starch "hospital diet," that soon excited disgust, and could not be eaten with the endless whisky and quinine. In the extreme south I became invalided—a starch dyspeptic—never "saved" until I found your Biscuit. You have begun and done a great work. I am glad to see you are getting part of your reward in this world. I am,

(Signed.) J. M. SPERRY.

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(No. 133.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the i sue of twenty thousand six hundred a seven ($20,607.00) dollars, Chester aven bonds, to pay the cost of grading, pa ing and curbing of Chester avenue, fro Harrison avenue to Irwin avenue.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacte by the select and common councils c the city of Allegheny, and it is here ordained and enacted by the authorit of the same, That an issue of registere bonds in the name of the city of Al legheny to the amount of twenty thou sand six hundred and seven ($20,607.00) dollars, to be designated Chester avenu bonds, in accordance with the act of as sembly entitled "An act providing a sys tem whereby cities may pave streets an alleys, pay the cost thereof by the issu of bonds, and collect the same from th property benefited in installments," ap proved June 12, 1893, and the same b and is hereby authorized and directed.

Sec. 2. Said bonds shall be of the de nomination of one thousand dollars o multiples thereof, payable in five year from December 1st, 1903, with interes thereon at the rate of four per cent pe annum, payable semi-annually at the of fice of the city comptroller, in the cit of Allegheny, Pa., and the principal there of at maturity at the same place. Sai bonds to be signed by the mayor an treasurer and countersigned by th comptroller and sealed with the corpor ate seal of the city, and the proceed thereof shall be applied exclusively fo the payment of the cost of grading, pav ing and curbing of Chester avenue, from Harrison avenue to Irwin avenue, and t no other purpose whatsoever. Said bond to be issued and sold to the sinking fun commission of the city of Allegheny a par.

Sec. 3. Upon the collection of the co of said grading, paving and curbing c Chester avenue, in the manner presente in the act of assembly aforesaid, th money so received by the city treasure shall be applied semi-annually to th sinking fund for the payment of the in terest and principal at maturity.

Sec. 4. That so much of any ordinanc as may conflict with or be supplied b the foregoing, be and the same is here by repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law i councils this 19th day of November, D. 1903.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, November 23rd, 1903. The above dinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

As Business Bringers Gazett Classified Ads Have No Equal.

DIAN'S PHOTO LEADS TO SUIT

A. Reinhart Asks for Forfeit-re of North American Savings Co.'s Calendars.

L. HARTLEY CASE ARGUED

ank A. Reinhart of Omaha, Neb., yester- began an action in replevin in the United s court against the North American Sav- Company of this city, to secure a for- of all advertising matter in its hands. which a picture of an Indian is repro- Reinhart claims to have taken a graph of an Indian chief, "Wolf Robe," he had copyrighted, and alleges the de- nt is using the same picture.

illiam F. Coffman entered a $10,000 dam- suit against ex-Delinquent Tax Collector Conner, in which he charges the de- nt with pushing and throwing him to avement, the fall breaking his right arm. eclares that it was done without provo- , and that the injury caused him to lose sition and to deprive his family of sup-

the case of James P. Chambers, who took peal from a decision of Alderman Con- fining him for selling garden stuff with- a license, his attorney James Saiph, a that a license he and three others had out to sell produce in this city was suf- nt; that the ordinance of September 13, is illegal because it discriminates against citizens of other states in favor of citizens Pennsylvania, and undertakes to override interstate commerce laws. Assistant City ney L. S. Levin argued that when several take out a license to do produce business firm, they are a firm only in the license not in the produce business.

L. Hartley's motion for a new trial was by Attorney H. L. Christy, who said client is insane, having twice attempted de since his conviction of murdering E. ohnston.

ke Smith was ordered taken from St. 's orphan asylum and returned to his He was committed to the asylum from juvenile court for burglary. Herman Shaw James Burns were sent to the Pennsylva- Training school for feeble-minded at Polk.

eld for Court on Robbery Charge.

ohn Bott of Troy Hill, Allegheny, was for court yesterday on a charge of hing the office of the Taylor Burner Electrico Plating Company, No. 804 uesne way. It was testified that Sun- night Bott broke into the office and a bronze statue and several other icles.

LEGAL BRIEFS.

P. Rieghard has appealed from the re- of the Virgin alley viewers.

rael Simon, a Pittsburgh merchant in ruptcy proceedings, gives liabilities as 5 81; assets, $1,234 50.

ecrees in distribution were made in the Paul estate of $71,130 95, and the Alex. Byers estate of $31,874 53.

ttorney M. R. Trauerman for Nicholas ottor entered a $10,000 suit against Nicholas m, alleging false arrest.

e following executions were issued yester- : J. G. Ebbert vs. John H. Miller, $147; R. McNaught vs. Mrs. Susan Addy et al. 10; the Monongahela Insurance Company Pittsburgh vs. Thomas H. Hunter et al. 87 30; Edwin O. Roenigk vs. F. P. Ullom, $169 14; Esther Crawford vs. John A. wford, $39,767 70.

LITICS, POLYGAMY AND RACE PROBLEM

bjects Discussed at Meetings f Pittsburgh Pastors—Manners Also Talked About.

Mormonism," "The Negro Problem," "Politics in Churches," were the cipal subjects discussed at the vari- ministers' meetings held in Pittsburgh erday.

r. Sarah J. Elliott delivered addresses the Methodist Episcopal and United sbyterian meetings. Dr. Elliott is in city on a lecture tour. She has been sident of Utah and on every occasion triking telling blows at polygamy as cticed by Mormons and incidentally attacks Reed Smoot, who, she says, enemy of the United States govern- t and has no right in the senate.

efore the United Presbyterian minis- yesterday, she related the follow- incident: "While studying conditions ng the Mormons one of the men asked why I did not marry. He told me t I should know that the only salva- for women is through the institution marriage, and I replied that he should miliar with the scripture that says hall be no marriage in heaven. He lied gracefully, that because of the t that marriage is an impossibility in life to come, there is all the more son why I should marry on this earth."

r. Elliott was inadvertently introduced Mrs. Elliott, and this prompted her ntion of the experience. She said: "I just Dr. Elliott."

he Rev. Charles E. Locke, pastor of Delaware Avenue Methodist church, ffalo, discussed the race problem be- e the Methodist ministers' meeting.

The Rev. Christopher Humble of Par- sburg read a paper on "The Race oblem in Our Ecclesiastical Polity," be- e the Presbyterian meeting. He advo- ed separation of white and colored sbyteries.

he Rev. J. M. Wallace, pastor of the ghth church, read a paper on "Politics Church Courts," before the United esbyterian meeting. He said politics ans trickery and should not be tol- ated in our churches.

"How I Prepare My Sermons," was the ject of the Rev. Charles W. Fletcher's dress at the meeting of the Baptist inisters. The Rev. Mr. Fletcher is pas- of the First Baptist church at Wash- ton, Pa.

The Methodist Protestant ministers en- yed an address on "Pulpit Manners and annerisms," by the Rev. F. M. Foster, stor of the Knoxville church.

READY FOR THE FIGHT.

hicago's Plans Completed for Capturing the Republican Convention.

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—The plans of Chi- o Republicans to secure the next Re- blican national convention have been mpleted, according to James J. Sheri- n, president of the Hamilton club, nich has taken the initiative in the mat- r.

A special train with a party of 50 or influential citizens will leave Chicago r Washington, December 9. Quarters ve been secured at the Arlington hotel ere the committee will meet. The eum, which will be offered for the ntion, will seat 15,000 people.

EIVERS APPOINTED FOR STEEL COMPANY

NCASTER, PA., Nov. 30.—P. Eck- Saymaker, of this city and C. C. man of Columbia, were today ap- ed receivers for the Susquehanna & Steel Company. The application e receivership was made some time y John Q. Denny, of Columbia, but anagement of the company opposed ppointment. Today counsel for the gement filed a statement in which aid they were convinced they could show a financial condition on Janu- satisfactory to the court and there- prayed that the receiver be appointed.

Many Workers' Wages Cut.

STON, Nov. 30.—The wages of 32,000 cotton textile operatives were ed today. Today's addition brings otal number in New England who had their pay cut down this fall to 64,000, and the cut which takes ef- in New Bedford next Monday will the total to about 75,000.

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WANTED—15 railroad firemen.
15 railroad flagmen.
3 local freight conductors.
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East End Residences.

HANDSOME COLONIAL HOME.
For Sale—In one of the best streets in the Squirrel Hill district, 3-story buff brick residence, 12 rooms, center hall, 3 bath rooms, billiard room in attic; hot water heat, instantaneous water heater, both gases, electric light, laundry, lot 80x137 feet; house is of Maryland colonial type, with large cement-floored porch, and cement steps; macadamized driveway and terraced lawn; inside of house very attractive; hardwood floors, cabinet finish woodwork throughout, handsome hardware, shades and chandeliers, tasteful decorations; this property is surrounded by homes costing from $25,000 to $40,000 each. Immediate possession can be given; will sell for $27,500; small cash payment, and long term mortgage for balance.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
311 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—$20,000—Baum Grove; beautiful level lot 66x135 to asphalt paved alley; particularly large and elegantly appointed solid pressed brick center hall house; neat barn on alley; this is a property of generally attractive appearance, surrounded by equally good houses; it has large porches with vines and has flowers and shade trees on beautiful level, well-kept grounds; 12 large rooms, beside fine large billiard room and large solid white tile bath, which alone cost $1,600 to fit up; everything else in keeping; this property is a bargain at $25,000 and could not be duplicated today at that money; owner leaving city.
HOME TRUST CO.,
541 Wood st.

HOME.
Lang avenue, convenient to Penn avenue, in the vicinity of the homes of H. C. Frick, John B. Jackson, Mrs. H. L. Rook, H. J. Heinz and others.
A modern buff brick residence of 9 rooms, reception hall, bath, laundry, front and rear porches, instantaneous water heater, both gases and electric lights; situate No. 339 Lang avenue (paved street); terms $500 cash, balance to suit purchaser; low price to a quick buyer; immediate possession.
SAMUEL W. BLACK & CO.,
Farmers Bank Building.

EAST END COTTAGE
$1,600.
A 3-roomed comfortable home for small family; paved street and sidewalk; gas and water on premises; lot 25x100 to an alley; lot alone worth more money than price at which it is offered. Reasonable terms can be arranged. Owner needs money.
HARTFORD & JONES,
107 Sheridan ave., E. E.

FOR SALE—N. Negley ave., near Margaretta st., two modern new buff brick houses, center halls; each having 13 rooms and 3 bath rooms; houses finished in hardwood; first floor, 5 rooms, including breakfast room; second floor, 4 rooms; third floor, 4 rooms; lot 58x119, and lot 50x119.
L. A. CLARK & CO.,
409 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—Stratford ave., 2 up-to-date 13-room reception hall brick houses, with all modern conveniences (new); lots each 40x110; these houses will bear the closest inspection, and are constructed with very best material and are No. 1 in every respect; the owner has commissioned us to sell them at a price of $14,500 each.
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409 Fourth ave.

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FOR RENT—
One iron-clad shop 43x55.
One brick shop 38x40.
One frame shop 24x38.
Suitable for storage or manufacturing purposes.
With or without power.
Thomas Carlin's Sons Co., 1600 River ave., Allegheny.

Lots.

CHEAPEST lot in Bellevue, Rodgers ave., near Lincoln, 50x150; all improvements made and paid for. Price $1,200.
BELLEVUE REALTY SAV. & TRUST CO.,
440 Lincoln ave., Bellevue.

Farms.

FARMS, 12, 50, 70, 100, 150, 200 acres; two hours' ride from Pittsburgh.
85 acres, 5-room house, barn, poultry house and a bargain, $1,500.
MILLER, MASON & IRVINE,
505 Hamilton Bldg.

VIRGINIA COUNTRY HOMES—$10,000 to $150; pamphlet free. H. W. Hilleary, Staunton, Va.

SEND for free illustrated Ohio farm list. Neill & Blakeslee, Oakmont, Pa.

For Sale or Exchange.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—$14,000.
Bellefield district, near cathedral; center hall colonial brick dwelling of twelve rooms; will take smaller house or lots as part pay.
LAND TITLE AND TRUST COMPANY
OF PITTSBURGH,
316 Fourth ave.

FOR EXCHANGE—Lot 100x170, Shady ave., on which is erected a frame residence of 15 rooms, 2 baths, stable, all conveniences; owner will exchange for smaller properties, improved; district first-class.
L. A. CLARK & CO.,
409 Fourth ave.

Business Opportunities.

AN EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY.
General store in one of the best towns in Pennsylvania, 24 miles from Pittsburgh; doing about $35,000 a year; stock will invoice about $7,000; optional to purchaser as to amount of stock and fixtures he would care to buy; this will bear the strictest investigation; owner has other large interests to be taken care of; references exchanged, as all negotiations will be direct with owner. Address E 59, The Gazette.

FOR SALE—
Hardware, tin and slate roofing business; good town, within 50 miles of Pittsburgh; stock will invoice $9,000; will exchange part real estate. Address S 58, The Gazette.

RESTAURANT, with fixtures and utensils, with leasehold; possession at once. Inquire 1129 Liberty ave.

BUSINESS of all kinds bought and sold; partners secured for established business, etc.; all transactions strictly confidential.
KIRK & VOGEL, 1109 Arrott Building.

IF you want to buy or sell any business, see
L. W. BURNETT & CO.,
305 Arnfeld Building, 1119 Penn ave.

FOR SALE—Bar fixtures, office, store, restaurant, bar and pool tables, chairs, desks and showcases. Delp, Fourth and Liberty.

ROOMING HOUSE FOR SALE—12 rooms, all conveniences. Apply 304 Federal st., room 12, Allegheny.

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ESTEP & CO., 326 Fourth ave.

NEWSPAPER ROUTE—Paying $50 per week over all expenses. Address A 79, The Gazette.

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Machinery.

MACHINERY.
1 15" alligator shear, belt driven, capacity 2½x½".
1 Rotary shear, with 8x9" engine connected.
1 Lloyd Booth squeezer.
1 10-ton steel jib crane.
2 25-ton ladles.
6 cast iron boshes.
2 Tanks, 60" diam., 10' high.
1,200 H. P. Hopes feed water heater.
Engines, boilers and pumps.
WICKES BROTHERS.
Both 'Phones. Warehouses,
Pittsburgh, Pa. 45th st. and A. V. R. R.

FOR SALE—Boilers and engines, all sizes, from 3 to 125 H. P., stationary and portable upright boilers and engines; large assortment kept in stock; shafting, pulleys and hangers, and large lot of miscellaneous machinery; second-hand belting, leather and rubber; large stock of all sizes at low prices; machinery of all kinds bought and exchanged.
JOHN S. YOUNG,
108-110 Park way, Allegheny, Pa.

TWO horizontal tubular boilers, 60"x16".
One 12"x16" center crank steam engine.
Two 10"x12" vertical steam engines.
One 20"x36" steam engine.
One 42"x42"x16' iron planer.
One 4½-foot radial drill press.
One single drum hoisting rig, engines, 6"x6".
GAUSMAN MACHINERY AND METAL CO.,
927 and 929 Rebecca st., Allegheny City.

FOR SALE—Engines, boilers, sawmills, sand crushers, grinding mills, brick machinery, rock crushers, road machinery, traction engines, threshers, corn huskers, hydraulic cider mills, belting, hose, circular saws, general supplies.
B. D. REED, 32 Fifth St., Pittsburgh.

HOISTING ENGINES, DERRICKS.
Send for our list of new and second-hand hoisting engines, boilers, derricks and general machinery.
Repair work a specialty.
CONTRACTORS' SUPPLY CO., PARK BLDG.

FOR SALE—50 h. p. Miller improved gas engine; can be seen running at the Velte Foundry & Machine Company, Home st. & A. V. Ry.

GAS ENGINES, woodworking machinery.
BRIGGS MACHINERY CO., 4th and Liberty.

Horses and Vehicles.

ARRIVED—TWO CARLOADS BEST MULES ever came to Pittsburgh, ranging 50 to 65 inches. STEINMILLER'S, 110 Second ave.

Oil Production.

ED WITTISH, 424 Fifth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa., offers for sale several good paying, settled, Pennsylvania and Ohio oil productions; particulars, call.

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Sewing Machines.

A FEW of those GUARANTEED SECOND-HAND sewing machines to be sold very cheap; also machines rented and repaired; parts for machines repaired; prices reasonable at DOMESTIC OFFICE, 126 Penn ave.

SPECIAL LOW PRICES on all makes of SEWING MACHINES, $5 up. genuine needles and attachments; we repair all makes at LOWEST PRICES.
CARTER'S SEWING MACHINE CO.,
131 Sixth st., Next to Bijou Theater.

Pianos.

A $400 upright handsome mahogany case; used a short time only $165. This is a genuine bargain. See it at
HOFFMANN'S,
537 Smithfield st.

A $500 piano player outfit complete, with 20 rolls of music, for $175; $25 down and $10 per month.
HOFFMANN'S,
537 Smithfield st.

DECKER square piano, with carved feet, elegant tone, responsive action, $75, cost new $450.
HOFFMAN'S,
537 Smithfield st.

Typewriters.

REMINGTON typewriters sold (with or without billing and tabulating attachment), exchanged, rented and repaired; Paragon typewriter ribbons for all machines, linen paper, carbon paper and miscellaneous typewriter supplies and furniture.
REMINGTON TYPEWRITER CO.,
201 Wood st.,
Telephone [illegible] Court. 66 Main.

LARGEST stock of miscellaneous machines in the city; rentals, $2 up. PHILADELPHIA TYPEWRITER EXCHANGE, 323-4 Lewis building.

Safes.

A SECOND-HAND SAFE, first-class condition, only $18. I am closing out my entire stock of safes used at exposition, regardless of cost. Booklets free.
C. W. FRANKLIN, 126 Fourth ave.

Miscellaneous.

FLINCH THE ACME OF PARLOR GAMES.
FOR SALE AT
J. G. LAUER'S
TOY HOUSE,
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TOYS AND GAMES WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.
ARTIFICIAL CHRISTMAS TREES, TRIMMINGS.
CHRISTMAS TREE ORNAMENTS,
CHRISTMAS TREE CANDLES,
ARTIFICIAL SNOW, MOSS,
LEAVES, FLOWERS, TINSEL,
FENCES, AND MANY
NOVELTIES
TO DECORATE HOUSE AND HOME,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

FOR SALE—Here is a rare opportunity to get a genuine diamond ring, for lady or gentleman, for only $24; actual value $35. Everything in our line at lowest prices. Catalogue free. Credit free to [illegible] in the world. Isaacs, Wholesale Jeweler, 404 Smithfield st., Pittsburgh.

PAINT PRESERVES PROPERTY.
Protect your house with good paint put on by a trustworthy painter.
P. J. BYRNE, 634 Fifth Ave.,
711 Forbes St. Both Telephones.

FOR SALE—One black iron bed, with spring and mattress, 3220 Observatory ave., Allegheny, Pa.

PERSONALS

PERSONAL—Our new jewelry catalogue costs you nothing. A postal card with your address on it will bring it to you. It will save you money if you consult it before buying your Christmas presents. Anything on credit. Isaacs, Wholesale Jeweler, 404 Smithfield st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

SUPERFLUOUS HAIR.
Moles, warts, blackheads, etc., destroyed forever without pain or scar; free consultation at office or by letter.
HARRY E. GILMORE,
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SUPERFLUOUS HAIR, moles, etc., removed forever without pain, scar or trace; the Van Dyck Electric Needle Method work guaranteed. J. R. BROWN, Operator, direct from Philadelphia, 708 Bijou building, Pittsburgh.

PERSONAL—To you want a good painter? If so, have him do your work; if not, send for P. J. BYRNE. All kinds of painting done in the best manner with the best materials. 634 Fifth ave. Both telephones. 711 Forbes st.

PERSONAL—Ingrown nails cured (no knife); over 300 Pittsburgh references; challenge any person to do the work. Try me. HEASLEY, FOOT SPECIALIST, 343 Smithfield st.

PERSONAL—Reliable watch repairing. Cash paid for old gold. CHRIST HAUCH, 541 Smithfield st., Pittsburgh.

MADAME LINCOLN—Vapor baths; scientific massage; manicuring. 321 Penn; [illegible]

WHITEWASHING, kalsomining; house or offices cleaned by A. Cottman, 2705 Bedford ave.

H. C. KNAPP, commercial job printer, 3521 Butler st. Both telephones.

PROPOSALS.

THE borough of Coraopolis will receive sealed proposals for the purchase of $20,000 of waterworks and electric light extension bonds, dated December 1, 1903, twenty in number, each of the denomination of $1,000, payable in 20 years from date, with coupons attached for the payment of interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually. Proposals in order to be considered must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of $2,000.00, drawn to the order of the borough of Coraopolis, and mailed sealed to reach David K. Glover, president of council, at Coraopolis, Pa., Monday, December 7, 1903, at 8 o'clock p.m. The borough reserves the right to reject any or all bids. For further information address W. T. Tredway, borough solicitor, Bakewell building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE, Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 3, 1903.—Sealed proposals for building 370 feet of Chanoine dam and a bear trap dam for lock 4 miles below Dam No. 2, Ohio river, about 4 miles below Pittsburgh, Pa., will be received here until 12 m., December 3, 1903, and then publicly opened. Information furnished on application. G. J. Lydecker, Col. Engineers.

LOST.

LOST—Female setter dog, white, with black spots; had collar with G. Schroeder, 658 Smithfield st., Pittsburgh, Pa. A liberal reward will be paid if when dog is returned to Samuel Garrison, [illegible], Pittsburgh, or notice to G. Schroeder, 653 Smithfield st.; telephone No. 612 Park.

LOST—Small black leather pocketbook containing some jewelry and papers of no value to any one but owner. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to S 50, The Gazette.

LOST—Chatelaine purse on Fifth ave., between Opera house and Wood st. Reward if returned to 202 Stratford ave., Pittsburgh.

LOST—Black, white and tan setter dog. Return to 131 Zara st., Knoxville and receive liberal reward.

NOTICES.

The Keystone Bank of Pittsburgh, 320-322-324 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Nov. 30, 1903.
Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the Keystone bank of Pittsburgh, that the board of directors of the said bank have called a general meeting of the stockholders thereof, to be held at the banking house of said bank on the 12th day of December A. D. 1903, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of considering and determining the question of renewing and extending the charter of said bank.
EDWARD E. M'COY, Assistant Cashier.

MEMBERS of McCandless lodge, No. 390, F. and A. M., will meet at Freemasons hall, Fifth ave., on Wednesday afternoon, December 2, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, George H. Acker, Jr. Members of sister lodges are fraternally invited to attend. LOUIS HIRSCH, W. M.

NOTICE—Members of Iron City Council, No. 171, Jr. O. U. A. M., and sister lodges are requested to meet at the council chamber, 1923 Carson st., on Wednesday, December 2, at 1 o'clock sharp, to attend the funeral of our late brother, Geo. W. Luton. By order of WILLIAM CONWAY, Councilor.
Attest: CHAS F. RACE, Rec. Sec.

AUDITORS.

GEORGE W. WOOD, C. P. A.—AUDITOR AND CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, FIDELITY BLDG. 'PHONES—BELL 2143 COURT; P. & A. 1909 MAIN. ACCOUNTS AUDITED, ADJUSTED AND SYSTEMATIZED.

DANCING ACADEMIES.

JAMES P. BROOKS' DANCING ACADEMY, 1610 Penn ave. Advanced class Thursday, beginners, Monday and Friday evenings.

PATENTS.

H. C. EVERT & CO., Patent Attorneys, 305 Smithfield st., opposite postoffice.

AUCTION SALES.

AUCTION SALE.
FURNISHMENT OF A RESIDENCE, PIANO, FOLDING BED, BRASS BED, PICTURES, CURTAINS, CARPETS, RUGS, DISHES AND GLASSWARE, GAS STOVE, LOT NOTIONS AND FANCY GOODS MOVED TO THE STORE FOR SALE TUESDAY, DEC. 1, AT 10 O'CLOCK AT THE ROOMS OF THE HENRY AUCTION & STORAGE CO., 124 AND 126 NINTH STREET.

Fine brass bed, folding bed, chamber suites in oak, walnut and mahogany, wardrobes, chiffoniers, bookcases and books, fancy chairs and rockers, leather couch, leather library suite, parlor furniture, upright piano, pictures, curtains, clocks, large sideboard, china closet, extension table, leather chairs, dishes and glassware, Brussels and velvet carpets, rugs and linoleums for rooms and halls. Lot of kitchen furniture, refrigerator, gas stoves, lot of notions and drygoods. Goods now on exhibition.
HENRY AUCTION CO.,
Auctioneers.

MONEY TO LOAN.

There Is No Need To Be Hard Up

What is the use of denying yourself comforts when by borrowing money from us you are able to buy what you need? We will loan you any amount you want at 6 per cent interest, the lowest rate in Allegheny county. Diamonds, watches, jewelry, silverware, guns, etc. Money loaned on anything of value to anybody, rich or poor. Our fireproof vaults are protected from burglars by electricity.

Six Per Cent.
Market Street Loan Office,
214 Market Street,
Near Third Avenue.
CAPITAL, $250,000.00.

BARRELS OF MONEY, TO LOAN AT DeROY'S
LOWEST RATE LOAN OFFICE
On Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry, etc.
RATES GUARANTEED THE LOWEST.
645 Smithfield St., near Seventh Ave.
ESTABLISHED OVER 50 YEARS.

MONEY LOANED
TO ANY AMOUNT
ON DIAMONDS, ON WATCHES,
ON MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS,
ON FIREARMS.
Special Rates—At less than others advertise.
GALLINGER'S, 1200 Penn Ave.

MONEY LOANED salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters, boarding houses, without security; easy payments; largest business in 48 principal cities.
TOLMAN, 408 Smith Block.

MONEY TO LOAN—In sums to suit on household furniture, pianos, etc., without removal; also on good collateral or personal security, easy payments; confidential.
J. Q. H. SMITH, 413 Fourth ave.

MONEY TO LOAN on easy payments. Business loans on same terms.
B. B. BLACK, 245 Fourth Ave., Second Floor.

Mortgage Loans.

WANTED—HIGH CLASS
6%
MORTGAGES.
GEORGE BRO'S,
248 Fourth ave.

INDIVIDUAL will loan money at 6 per cent. on mortgages, notes or bills in estate. Box 665.

PRIVATE party will loan large fund, 4½ to 6%; mortgages or collateral. P. O. box 665.

LEGAL NOTICES.

TO the Shareholders of The Bank of Pittsburgh, N. A. Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the shareholders of The Bank of Pittsburgh, National Association, has been called by the board of directors for the 15th day of December, A. D. 1903, at 11 o'clock a. m., at the banking house of the Bank, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, Nos. 226, 228 and 230 Fourth avenue, to vote upon a resolution to increase the capital stock of the bank from $1,200,000 to $2,400,000, in accordance with the provisions of the act of congress of May 1, 1886; also to vote upon a proposed amendment to Article III of the articles of association, so that the same shall provide that the board of directors of this bank shall not be less than fifteen members nor more than twenty-seven members; also to vote upon a proposed amendment to Article VI of the articles of association, so that the directors shall be authorized and empowered to elect one or more vice presidents as the business of the bank may require; and for the transaction of such other business relating thereto as may come before the meeting. By order of the board.
W. F. BICKEL, Cashier.
Pittsburgh, October 27, 1903.

HARRY M. STEIN, Attorney-at-Law, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice. Application will be made to the court of common pleas No. 1 of Allegheny county, at No. 1,001 December term, 1903, on the 19th day of December, 1903, at 9:30 a. m., by Elizabeth Kanter, Andrew Kanter, Morris Ungar, Jacob Popp and Mary Tobias, under the act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "The First Pittsburgh and Allegheny Hungarian Beneficial association," the character and object of which is to lend medical and pecuniary assistance to its members when sick or disabled, to provide funds to aid and assist members in distress, and to assist the families and dependents of deceased members in defraying the funeral expenses of such members, in Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, Pa., and for this purpose to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and its supplements. Harry M. Stein, attorney for applicants.

S. S. ROBERTSON, Attorney-at-Law, 421 Frick building. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania on Saturday, December 26, 1903, by Robert Walsh, John A. Frisby and [illegible], under the act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called Walsh Furnace Company, the character and object of which is the manufacture of furnaces and fuel-saving devices and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said act of assembly and the supplements thereto. S. S. Robertson, solicitor.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on December 22, 1903, by John Sell, Alfred Dickson and Edmund Engler, under the act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and its supplements thereto, for a charter of an intended corporation to be called "The [illegible] Company," the character and object of which is the manufacture of iron or steel or both, or of any other metal or of any article of commerce from metal or wood or both and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and its supplements.

O. H. ROSENBAUM, Attorney-at-Law, No. 440 Diamond st. State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss. In the court of common pleas, No. 2, No. 275, July term, 1903. Jessie W. Steepleton vs. Edward Steepleton. Libel in divorce a vinculo matrimonii. To Edward Steepleton, respondent. The subpoena and alias subpoena in the above case having been returned non est inventus, you are hereby notified to appear in said court of common pleas, No. 2, on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1904, to answer the petition and libel filed in said case. Wm. C. McKinley, sheriff.

FETTES & M'ALLISTER, Attorneys-at-Law, No. 415 Frick Building, Pittsburg, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Emma C. Horst, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Samuel L. Otto, Hattie S. Otto, executors.

F. P. GLASSER, Attorney-at-Law, No. 1527 Park Building, Pittsburg, Pa.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Johanna Husak, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. F. P. Glasser, administrator, No. 1527 Park building, Pittsburg.

J. M'F. CARPENTER, Attorney-at-Law, No. 331 Grant street, Pittsburg, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Mary Gormley, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. James T. Gormley, executor, [illegible] borough, Allegheny county, Pa.

DISSOLUTION NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between John A. Henderson and Samuel P. Dewalt, trading as Henderson & Dewalt, at No. 4827 Penn avenue, Pittsburg, Pa., was dissolved [illegible] by mutual consent. [illegible] John A. Henderson and Curtis E. Henderson [illegible]. John A. Henderson, Samuel P. Dewalt, Curtis E. Henderson.

DETECTIVE AGENCY.

M'SWEENEY Interstate Detective Agency, 437 Diamond st., Pittsburg, Pa.; transacts a legitimate detective business. All information treated strictly confidential.

STOCK MARKET ADVANCED DESPITE TIGHT MONEY

Rate on Call Loans Reached 10 Per Cent, But Prices Closed Near the Highest—More Gold Engaged for Import.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

There was a reversal of the usual course of late in the eastern stock market yesterday, but the net result was a gain in prices. London quotations were lower, and for the first time in more than a week foreigners were sellers of American securities. The London market was reported as disturbed by the situation of affairs between Russia and Japan, while Germans were said to be sellers in the London market because of some apprehension as to the condition of the emperor's health. In Wall street there were slight recessions throughout the list during the first hour, but the losses were soon recovered, and from noon until the close the tendency of the market was steadily upward. The advance was in the face of tight money, the rate on call loans reaching 10 per cent late in the afternoon. While final prices were not the highest of the day, they showed net gains over Saturday's close.

There was much less pressure against the industrial stocks, and the only specialty to display much weakness was Republic Iron and Steel preferred, in which traders tried to discount the probable action of the directors on the dividend question, a meeting of the board being scheduled for 3 o'clock. There were no transactions in the common stock, and the preferred, after opening at 41, declined to 39¼, but recovered to 40 at the close. United States Steel common was dull and the fluctuations were confined to the smallest fraction, 11 being the opening and highest price and 10⅞ the lowest and closing. The preferred opened at 51½ and declined to 51¼, but recovered a point to 52¼ and closed at 52⅛ bid. The new bonds opened at 68⅝, declined to 68¼, and closed at 69, the highest. Less than a point covered the fluctuations in Amalgamated Copper, which declined to 37¾ shortly after the opening, recovered to 38⅝ and closed at 38¼. Sugar was strong, declining 1 per cent at the opening to 121½, but recovering all the loss and advancing to 122⅞.

In the railroad list the southern group of stocks advanced under the leadership of Louisville & Nashville, which reached 105⅝, the close being at 105¼ bid. Southern railway, Southern Pacific and some of the minor stocks like Texas Pacific and Kansas City Southern, were strong and higher on a larger volume of dealings than for some time past. The active movement of cotton to market and the relatively high price being realized, are contributing to the prosperity of the south, and the improvement in the stocks of railroads traversing that section is in the nature of discounting better times. After a slight reaction at the opening, which carried the price of Pennsylvania down to 113¼, that stock became strong and in the late trading reached 115. All the members of the same group were strong, Baltimore & Ohio advancing to 76¾, and Reading to 41¼. The Rockefeller-Gould specialties, together with Rock Island and Atchison, all shared in the upward movement. The real basis of the latter seemed to be more a scarcity of stocks and the covering of shorts, than any important increase in the investment demand, although at the same time rather large blocks of Pennsylvania and Union Pacific were readily absorbed when the bears attempted to turn the market by offerings of these two stocks. There was nothing new in the trade reports of a very encouraging character, but the impression seems to be growing that the stock market has more than discounted the worst that can happen to business.

The money market is somewhat puzzling. Call loans opened at 6½ per cent and ruled very firm, the rate reaching 10 per cent, declining to 6 per cent, and again rising to 6½@7 per cent at the close. At the same time $3,300,000 more gold was engaged in London for import, the metal being secured in the face of an advance in the price of both bar gold and eagles in the London market. Yesterday's engagements bring the total for the month of November up to about $13,000,000, which is considerably above the estimates made at the time the movement began, and still our credits are apparently piling up abroad. Yesterday, for instance, our exports of wheat and flour reached a total of 776,754 bushels, which is above the daily average on the present crop, and at the same time both wheat and corn advanced sharply in Chicago. Shipments of currency yesterday amounted to $700,000 to San Francisco. What is puzzling is that the rate for call loans should remain so hight at a time when the demands of general trade are smaller, as reflected in diminishing bank loans. One explanation is that the banks are preparing now for the demands usually made upon them at the close of the year. It is significant, however, of the oversold condition of the stock market that prices should advance while call money is stringent.

There was no increase in business on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday. The sales foot up a little more than 1,000 shares, and price changes were not important. Pittsburgh Coal preferred closed nearly a point lower at 60⅛, and Westinghouse Airbrake declined a dollar to 128, but the fluctuations in the remainder of the list were confined to small fractions. There was so little doing, in fact, that it was difficult to quote the tone of the market.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday foot up 1,016 shares, as follows:

10 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

15 Pgh. Coal pfd 61	50 Crucible pfd... 29⅞
10 do... 61	10 do... 29⅞
10 do... 61	5 Fire Proof pf.. 22
80 do... 60⅞	40 Mfrs. L. & H.. 28½
4 do... 60⅞	100 U. S. Steel pf. 51½

10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

1 Pgh. Coal pfd 60	100 W. Airbrake... 128½
16 do... 60⅞	5 Crucible pfd... 29⅞

12:30 P. M. to 2 P. M.

10 Electric 2ds... 69¼	30 Pgh. Coal pfd. 60⅞
40 do... 69¼	

2 P. M. to 3 P. M.

15 Mfrs. L. & H. 28½	5 Fire Proof pf. 22½
15 do... 28½	40 W. Airbrake... 128
30 do... 28½	50 Electric 2ds... 69⅝
10 do... 28½	20 Luster Mining. 10¼
10 U. S. Steel pf 52	50 Pgh. Coal pfd. 60⅛
20 do... 52	100 do... 60⅛
20 do... 52	95 do... 60⅛
10 Fire Proof... 6¼	

Summary.

Shares.	High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Ch'ge.
65 Crucible pf.	29⅞	29⅝	29⅞	—⅛
10 Fire Proof	6¼	6¼	6¼	+¼
10 Do preferred.	*22½	*22	*22½	+1½
20 Luster Mining..	10¼	10¼	10¼	+¼
110 Mfrs. L. & H..	28½	28½	28½	0
411 Pgh. Coal pfd..	61	60⅛	60⅛	—⅞
150 U. S. Steel pfd.	52	51½	52	0
140 West. Airbrake	128½	128	128	—1
100 West. Elec. 2ds	69⅝	69¼	69⅝	+⅝
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*Less than 10 shares.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Teutonia Insurance	....	70	....
National Insurance	....	100	....
Mfrs. Light & Heat	50	28⅝	....
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	36	....
Citizens Traction	50	62	....
West. Electric 2d pfd	50	69⅛	69¾
Consolidated Ice pfd	50	....	34
Crucible Steel	100	3⅝	4
Do preferred	100	29⅞	30
Monon. River Coal pfd	50	25	27
Marsden	100	1½	2⅛
National Fire Proof	50	6	....
Do preferred	50	21½	22½
Philadelphia Company	50	36	....
Do preferred	50	42	42⅝
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	24¾	25
Do preferred	50	43¾	44
Pittsburgh Coal	100	18½	19
Do preferred	100	60⅛	....
Pittsburgh Plate Glass	100	....	108½
United States Steel	100	10⅞	11
Do preferred	100	51½	52
Westinghouse Airbrake	50	127½	128½
BONDS.			
B., K. & A. Traction 6s	....	115½	....
Pgh., McK. & Conn. 1st 5s	....	....	90
Monon. L. & P. 5s	....	101½	....
Monon. River Coal 6s	....	110	....
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s	....	110	....

NOTES AND COMMENT.

The November bank exchanges of the Pittsburgh clearing house reflect the shrinkage in general business and the subsidence of stock market operations. The total for November was slightly under $151,000,000, the smallest for any month since February, 1902, and the smallest for any corresponding month since 1900.

The action of the directors of the Republic Iron & Steel Company in postponing the quarterly dividend on the preferred stock, and in electing John W. Gates a director in place of August Belmont, was not announced until long after the close of the market. It will be interesting to observe how the market will take the announcement today. There have been intimations for some time past that Mr. Gates was accumulating stock in the company, but it was not generally known that he contemplated an immediate entrance into the board. In local financial circles it was said that the western interests in the company were in favor of the regular dividend, while the eastern men wanted the dividend passed. There have been confident predictions that the dividend would be suspended or reduced. That traders sold short was evidenced by the premium paid for the use of the stock by the bears. If the short interest is as large as generally supposed, there may be some pyrotechnics in the stock, and Mr. Gates may be depended upon to give the shorts an uncomfortable half hour.

The threat of competition in the local traction field had no appreciable effect upon Philadelphia Company stock yesterday, which closed at 36 bid.

E. J. Vaughan, receiver of the First National bank of Allegheny, yesterday notified stockholders who had given him an option on their stock at $125 a share, that he was ready to close the option and pay for the stock forthwith.

Wall street had a revival yesterday of the report that the differences between Cassatt and Gould had been settled. The report lacked confirmation.

There was buying in the Chicago grain market yesterday for account of Wall street traders, who are said to be short of the market. Wall street was talking bullish on cotton.

There are now over 41,000 stockholders of the Pennsylvania railroad, an increase of 10,963 since the declaration of the May dividend.

The various movements in the eastern money market were on a large scale, but so nearly offset each other as to have little result. Telegraph transfers of $700,000 were made to San Francisco and authority exists for the transfer today to the same point of $1,000,000. Such a movement is not unusual at this period of the year. Last year in the week ending December 6 the sum of $1,350,000 was telegraphed through the sub-treasury to San Francisco. The requirement is for the crops. Arrivals of foreign gold to figure in next Saturday's bank statement already amount to over $1,500,000, leaving upwards of a million engaged previous to yesterday, but not reserved. In addition about $1,900,000 was taken in the London market for New York today, out of a total arrival in that market today of some $2,750,000. There is a feeling of assurance, therefore, against money stringency. But there is not much expectation of any considerable ease in the money market during the month of December, as funds are likely to be returned at the interior over the yearly settlements. The demand for crop moving purposes, however, is believed to be over for the present.

The consolidated statement of the condition of the national banks of the city of New York on November 17, 1903, compiled at the clearing house, shows the following changes from the statement of September 9, 1903: Loans, decrease, $36,194,200; specie, decrease, $16,511,450; legal tenders, decrease, $8,636,900; deposits of banks and trust companies, decrease, $31,178,000; other deposits, decrease, $20,024,500; circulation, increase, $2,145,000; United States bonds, decrease, $52,800; other stocks, bonds, etc., decrease, $2,714,600; capital, increase, $5,000,000; net profits, decrease, $818,100.

FEATURES OF THE DAY

IN PITTSBURGH.

Bank exchanges for November were $150,838,240, a decrease of $18,500,000.

The November total was the smallest for any month this year.

Stock exchange transactions for the month were 61,172 shares stock and $182,000 bonds.

Yesterday's sales were only 1,016 shares stock. No bonds changed hands.

Westinghouse Airbrake declined to and closed at 128.

Pittsburgh Coal preferred declined to and closed at 60⅛.

IN WALL STREET.

Total sales 433,000 shares of stock.

Pressure on Republic Steel was due to authentic forecast of postponement of dividend.

Shorts in Pennsylvania railroad securities covered freely.

There was special strength in Louisville & Nashville and Nashville & Chattanooga on dividend rumor.

Telegraph transfer of $700,000 was made to San Francisco and $1,000,000 will be sent today.

Bonds were firm with sales of $2,024,000, par value.

NEWS FROM THE MINES.

The Calumet & Pittsburgh Development Company, which is controlled by Lake Superior and Pittsburgh people, will be merged into the Calumet & Pittsburgh Mining Company, organized for the purpose, with a capital of $2,500,000, par value of shares $10 each. Fifty thousand shares will remain in the treasury and of the remainder one-half will be given in exchange for the development stock, at the rate of 2½ for one, and the other 100,000 shares will be sold at par. Only the holders of development stock have the right to purchase the mining shares, and none will be given to the public. The property consists of 21 claims, 20 of which are held under option, and one, the Del Norte, is owned in fee, comprising 300 acres, situated in the mineral zone of the Bisbee district. Developments indicate that the Calumet & Pittsburgh in time will make a large and valuable mine.

Official advices from the Wolverine & Arizona say that the shaft is in low grade ore; the Higgins is penetrating a promising formation, and the Calumet & Cochise has encountered water, a promising indication in that section. There is a tendency toward higher prices in the Lake Superior-Bisbee stocks that presages a general upward movement.

In the short space of three years the Calumet & Arizona has developed into one of the richest and most profitable copper mines in the world. Copper production is now at the rate of 30,000,000 pounds a year, secured from a single shaft and the operation of two furnaces of 250 tons capacity each. A new four-compartment shaft is sinking and preparations are under way for the installation of a fourth furnace, one being blown out now for repairs. The mine has such a remarkable showing of high-grade ore that it is difficult to say what its ultimate position will be.

Tonopah, Nev., advices state that John McKane, representing Charles M. Schwab and other eastern capitalists, and J. P. Harvey, representing Patsy Clark, the millionaire mining man of Spokane, have secured a bond and lease on a controlling interest in the Jumbo Group. John McKane also has purchased 17 claims embraced in three groups, known as the Red Rock Group, the Fissure Group and the Davenport Group.

The 20-stamp mill of the Lexington Hill Gold Mining Company of Deadwood, S. D., has been closed down while changes are made in the process to enable it to treat successfully a class of ore which the company has found in the lower workings of the mine. The mill is a wet crushing cyanide plant, and amalgamating plates are to be added to save the free gold which occurs in the ore.

The shipments from Tintic district last week amounted to 135 carloads of ore and concentrates. Centennial-Eureka shipped 34 carloads, Grand Central 20, Gemini and Lower Mammoth 11 each, and 16 mines shipped the balance. This record shows that there are a large number of shippers in Tintic district.

Forty of the 60 stamps in the mill of the Hidden Fortune Gold Mining Company of Lead, S. D., were put in operation last week. The balance of the stamps will be dropping some time during the coming week, and by that time the mill will be treating its full quota of 300 tons per day. When the mill was first tested last summer it was found to be lacking in two most essential details. It did not contain sufficient vats for the treatment of the slimes in the cyanide process, and it lacked devices for saving the free gold in the ores. These defects have been effectively remedied. The slimes capacity has been increased by the addition of three vats 24 feet in diameter and 16 feet deep, and silver-plate coppers have been installed to save the free gold.

The Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Spot tin declined £1 2s 6d in London and futures about £1 5s, the two positions closing at £117 17s 6d and £119 respectively. Influenced in a measure by the foreign weakness, prices in New York were also lower, spot closing at $25 75@26 00. Copper was offered freely in London and closed 2s 6d lower at £54 12s 6d for spot and 3s 9d lower at £54 7s 6d for futures. Locally copper was more or less nominal. Lake is quoted at $12.50, electrolytic at $12 25 and casting at $12 00. Lead was unchanged at £11 3s 9d in London and at $4 25 in New York. Spelter also was unchanged at £20 10s in the London market, while here it was slightly lower, spot being quoted at $5 50. Iron closed at 48s 9d in Glasgow and at 42s 3d in Middlesboro. Locally iron was quiet and unchanged. No. 1 foundry northern is quoted at $15 00@16 00. No. 2 foundry northern at $14 00@15 00, No. 1 foundry southern and No. 1 foundry southern soft at $13 50@14 00.

PITTSBURGH INDUSTRIAL EXCHANGE.

Sales: 275 shares Decatur Copper at 50c; 500 shares U. S. Packing at $1. Closing quotations:

Black Diamond Copper	2.00	2.90
Copete Copper	.75	.90
Dakota Calumet G. M. Co.	.28	.35
Ethel Cons. pfd.	.05½	.07½
Hidden Fortune	.24	.27
Horseshoe M. Co., S. D., pfd.	.14	.18
Mine La Motte, L. & S.	7.75	8.50
Oregon Securities	.13	.16
Par Value G. M. Co.	.07	.10
Twentieth Century (Ont.)	6.50	9.00
Spearfish G. M. Co. pfd.	.27	.38
Treadwell, Geo. A.	5.00	6.00
Verde Grande M. Co.	.65	.80
Viznaga G. M. Co.	.11	.15
Ohio & Ind. Oil (Logans.)	.55	.70
Test Oil Co.	30.00	36.00
Union Cons. Oil	.09	.13

Boston Copper Stocks.

(Reported by A. E. Masten & Co.)

STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Close Bid.
Black Diamond	*2½	†2½	....	2½
Calumet & Arizona	*85	....	....	85
Calumet & Bisbee	....	....	....	†7
Calumet & Cochise	....	....	....	†7
Calumet & Hecla	....	....	....	425
Centennial	....	....	....	14¼
Calumet & Pgh	*55	....	....	55
L. S. & P. D.	*60	....	....	60
Mohawk	35	35	35	35
Michigan	6½	6½	6½	....
Old Dominion	*8½	†9⅛	....	....
Old Colony	1½	1½	1½	....
Pgh. & Duluth	26	35	26	35
Quincy	82	82	82	....
Range Consolidated	42¾	42¾	42	....
Swift	103½	103½	103½	103½
Trinity	4¾	4⅞	4¾	....
Tamarack	85	85	85	76
United Fruit	97	97	97	96
Utah	27	27	27	26¾
U. S. Mining	17½	18	17½	18
Victoria	2⅝	2¾	2⅝	2⅝
Winona	7½	7½	7½	7½
Junction	....	....	....	†10

*Bid. †Asked.

New York Mining Stocks.

Adams Con.	.10	Little Chief	.06
Alice	.13	*Ontario	6.00
Breece	.10	Ophir	1.90
Brunswick Con.	.05	Phoenix	.02
Comstock Tun.	.05	†Potosi	.20
Con. Cal. & Va.	1.00	†Savage	.16
Horn Silver	1.00	†Sierra Nevada	.45
Iron Silver	1.50	Small Hopes	.15
Leadville Con.	.02	Standard	2.00

*Offered. †Assessment paid.

New Orleans Flurry Continues.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 30.—Cotton futures opened today with the advance of last week continued in spite of unfavorable Liverpool cables. The volume of business was enormous. Crop estimates were low, which was in contract to last week, when the disposition was to increase estimates. December advanced 7 points during the morning.

Banks and the Treasury.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Total payment by government to New York banks for the day, $2,951,000. Payment by banks to government, $3,225,000. Balance on the day's transactions, $274,000 paid by banks to government.

COMPLETE RECORD NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co. Peoples Savings Bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges and Chicago board of trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Close Bid.
10890	A., T. & S. F.	65¾	66¼	65⅝	66⅛
395	Do preferred	90⅛	90½	90⅛	90
	Amer. Cot. Oil	29⅛	29¼	29⅛	29
7860	Am. Sugar Ref.	122½	122½	121½	121⅞
1440	Am. Locomotive	14⅛	14⅝	14⅛	14¼
1300	Do preferred	75	75⅝	74½	74⅝
200	Am. Car Foundry	18	18⅝	18	18⅝
200	Do preferred	64	64½	64	64½
	American Can	....	....	....	3½
	Do preferred	....	....	....	29¾
8710	Amal. Copper	38	38⅝	37¾	38¼
1300	Am. Sm. & Ref.	44½	44½	44	43¾
	Do preferred	....	....	....	86½
	Am. Ice	8½	8½	7⅞	7¾
	Do preferred	28¼	28½	27⅝	27½
14200	Balt. & Ohio	75¾	76⅝	75⅝	76⅝
2150	Brooklyn Rap. T.	39¼	39⅜	39⅛	39⅝
2200	Can. Pacific	117	117⅜	116⅜	117¼
700	Chi. & Gt. W.	15⅛	15⅜	15⅛	15¼
1050	Con. Gas	176½	178	176½	177⅝
400	C., C., C. & St. L.	73	73¼	73	73½
700	Ches. & Ohio	30⅛	30½	30⅛	30¼
4000	Chi. & Alton	32¼	33	32	32¾
1200	Do preferred	69¼	70½	69¾	70
	Chi. & N. W.	....	....	....	165½
600	Col. Fuel & Iron	25⅝	25⅝	24	25¼
	Corn Product	18⅜	18⅜	17½	18⅛
	Do preferred	63⅝	64⅛	63⅝	64⅝
450	Col. Southern	13	13	13	12⅝
150	Do 2d pfd.	21½	21½	21½	21
	D., Lack. & W.	238	238	238	235
500	Del. & Hudson	155	156	155	156
13165	Erie	26⅞	27⅜	26⅝	27⅛
1180	Do 1st pfd.	66½	67	66½	66½
1400	Do 2d pfd.	48¼	48⅝	48⅛	48¼
1200	General Electric	155	157	155	156
100	Hocking Valley	74¾	74¾	74¾	74¾
100	Do preferred	83½	83½	83½	83¼
1910	Illinois Central	128¾	129⅝	128¾	129
200	Iowa Central	20⅝	21¼	20⅝	20½
400	Inter. Paper	10½	11	10½	10½
	Do preferred	....	....	....	61
	L. E. & W.	27	27	27	26
12450	Louis. & Nash.	103⅝	105⅝	103⅛	105¼
300	Manhattan	139	139⅛	139	139⅛
13000	Mo. Pacific	89⅛	90⅛	88⅝	90⅛
5600	M., K. & T. pfd.	37	39	37	38¾
2100	Metropolitan	116¾	117	116¼	116⅝
	Mexican Central	9⅜	10⅜	9⅜	10¼
300	National Lead	14¾	14¾	14¾	14⅝
	Do preferred	....	....	....	78
300	Nat. Biscuit	35	35½	35	35½
	Do preferred	....	....	....	97
3300	N. Y. Central	117¼	117½	117	117¼
2125	N. Y., O. & W.	20½	20⅝	20½	20⅝
760	Norf. & West	56⅛	56½	56	56⅛
210	Peoples Gas	94⅝	94⅝	94⅝	94⅝
600	Pacific Mail	26⅛	27	26½	26⅝
1022	Pressed Steel Car	24½	25	24½	24⅛
	Do preferred	....	....	....	64
92310	Penna. R. R.	113¾	115	113¼	114⅝
	Railway Springs	....	....	....	16
	Do preferred	72½	73	70¾	72½
15070	Reading	40¼	41¼	39⅞	40⅝
200	Do 1st pfd.	75	75¼	75	75
	Do 2d pfd.	....	....	....	57½
3700	Rock Island	23¾	24⅝	23¾	24⅝
410	Do preferred	59	59½	59	59
	Republic Iron	....	....	....	5¾
14700	Do preferred	41	41	39¼	40
700	St. L. & S. 2d pfd.	45	45⅝	45	45¼
20320	Southern Pacific	45⅞	46½	45	45¼
5150	Southern Railway	19⅝	20	19⅛	19⅞
300	Do preferred	76¼	77¼	76¼	77⅛
	St. Paul	138⅛	138⅛	137⅝	138⅝
300	St. L. & S. W.	13⅝	14	13⅝	13½
1200	Do preferred	31¼	32⅝	31¼	32
500	Tenn Coal & Iron	27½	28½	27¼	28½
2300	Texas & Pacific	23½	24⅝	23½	24¼
100	T., St. L. & W.	20	20	20	20
250	Do preferred	32⅛	32⅛	32¼	32
2200	U. S. Steel	11	11	10⅞	10⅞
23800	Do preferred	51½	52¼	51⅛	52⅛
51150	Union Pacific	73⅝	74⅝	73½	74⅛
	U. S. Leather	....	....	....	7
	Do preferred	73⅝	73¾	73⅝	75¼
	U. S. C. I. P. pfd	37	38	37	37
	U. S. R. & Cons.	6	6	6	6
	Do preferred	38¾	38⅝	38	37¾
100	Wabash	19½	19¼	19¼	19⅝
5100	Do preferred	34¾	35⅝	34½	34⅞
100	W U. Telegraph	85½	85½	85½	85⅝
200	W. & Lake Erie	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝	15
	Do 2d pfd.	24	24¼	23½	24
400	Wisconsin Cent'l	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝	16¼
210	Do preferred	37	37¼	37	37

INACTIVE LIST.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Close
700	Chi. Term. Trac.	....	8½	8¼	8¼
100	Do preferred	....	18	18	18
200	Con. Tob. pfd.	....	102	102	102
300	Det. Un. Ry	....	67⅝	67⅝	67⅝
300	Det. South. Ry	....	8	7⅝	8
1800	K. C. & Southern	....	20	18½	19½
1900	Do preferred	....	33	33	33
100	M., S. P. & S.S.M.	....	53⅝	53¾	53¾
300	Met. Securities	....	91	90½	91
300	Minn. & S. Louis	....	61	60	60
100	Do preferred	....	89	89	89
2500	M., K. & T. com.	....	17⅝	17¼	17⅝
1500	N. Y. Airbrake	....	127	122½	127
100	Pacific Coast Co.	....	47½	47½	47½
300	Do 2d pfd.	....	55	55	55
1700	Rubber Goods	....	15½	14½	14½
1000	Do preferred	....	71⅝	70	71⅝
100	S.J. & G.I. 1st pf.	....	34	34	34
100	Sloss	....	24	24	24
900	Twin City	....	94	92	93¾
200	U. Bag. & Paper	....	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
200	Va. Car. Chem.	....	20⅛	20	20
400	W. Elec. 2d pfd.	....	138½	138	138

433000 total sales.

CLOSING PRICES NEW YORK BONDS.

†U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	105¼	L. & N. uni. 4s	98½
Do coupon	105¾	Man. con. gold 4s	102⅛
U. S. 3s, reg.	107	Mex. Central 4s	72½
Do coupon	107	Do 1st inc.	15½
U. S. new 4s, reg.	133¾	M. & St. L. 4s	97½
Do coupon	133¾	M. K. & S. 4s	98¼
†U. S. old 4s, reg.	109	Do 2ds	76¼
Do coupon	110	N. R. R. of M. c. 4s	75¾
U. S. 5s, reg.	101¼	N. Y. C. g. 3½s	90
Do coupon	101¼	N. J. C. gen. 5s	129¼
Atchison gen. 4s	100¼	Nor. Pacific 4s	102⅝
Do adj. 4s	87	Do 3s	70¼
At. Coast L. 4s	93¼	N. & W. con. 4s	96⅝
Balt. & Ohio 4s	100⅝	Ore. S. L. 4s & p.	92½
Do 3½s	94⅝	Penna. conv. 3½s	95¼
Cent. of Ga. 5s	104	Reading gen. 4s	96⅝
*Do 1st inc.	65	St. L. & I. M. c. 5s	110⅝
Ches. & O. 3½s	101¼	St. L. & S. F. g. 4s	85
Chi. & Alton 3½s	73	St. L. S. W. 1sts	92
C., B. & Q. n. 4s	93⅛	*Seaboard A. L. 4s	72
C., M. & St. P. g. 4s	110	So. Pacific 4s	89¼
C. & N. W. c. 7s	130¼	So. Railway 5s	112½
C., R. I. & P. 4s	70¼	Tex. & Pac. 1sts	117⅛
Do col. 5s	75	T., St. L. & W. 4s	68
C. C. C. & St. L. g. 4s	97½	Union Pac. 4s	102⅝
Chi. Term. 4s	75	Do conv. 4s	94½
Con. Tobacco 4s	55¼	U. S. Steel 2d 5s	69
Col. & So. 4s	83½	Wabash 1sts	113
Den. & R. G. 4s	99¾	Do deb. B	57½
Erie prior lien 4s	98¼	W. & L. E. 4s	86
Do gen. 4s	84½	Wis. Central 4s	89
Ft. W. & D. C. 1st	105¼	Col. Fuel conv. 5s	62½
Hock. Val. 4½s	106		

†Ex-interest. *Offered.

New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sproul & Co.)

Am. Elevator	⅛	Inter. Salt 5s	34
Am. Chicle	90	Man. Transit	1¼
Do preferred	75	M. & Bos. Copper	9-16
Am. Tin Can	3¼	New Am. Gas 5s	105
Do preferred	29¾	New Or. Ry.	8
Bay State Gas	¼	do preferred	29
British Columbia	2¾	do bonds	80
Brooklyn Ferry	4	N. Y. Transit	4¼
Central Foundry	¾	Nor. Securities	87⅝
Do preferred	5	Otis Elevator	25
Electric Boat	21	Do preferred	76
Do preferred	45	Royal B. Pow. pf.	98
Electric Vehicle	5½	Seaboard Air Line	13
Do preferred	8	Do preferred	21½
Greene Con. Cop.	11⅝	Standard Oil	642
Havana Com.	21	Tenn. Copper	28
Do preferred	30	Trust of Amer.	215
Inter. Mer. Mar.	4½	Union Copper	½
Do preferred	17¼	Tonopah	6
Inter. Salt	8½	White Knob	8¾

Philadelphia Closing Bids.

Amer. Cement	6¾	Penna. Steel pfd	65
Amer. Railways	41½	Phila. Co.	35⅝
Cambria Steel	17¼	Do preferred	41
Cambria Iron	46	Phila. Traction	94⅝
Con. Trac., N. J.	61	Phila. & Erie	45
Con. Lake Sup.	⅛	Phila. Electric	5⅝
Do preferred	1	Reading	20⅝
Diamond Steel	¼	Rys. Co. General	2
Do preferred	½	Susque. Iron & S.	⅝
Electric Storage	49	Tidewater Steel	½
Do preferred	50	Union Traction	43⅛
Elec. Co of Am.	7¼	United Cos. of NJ	267
Lehigh Nav.	65	United Gas Imp.	78¼
Lehigh Valley	35	Warwick Iron	2½
Marsden	2	Welsbach Co.	18
Penna. R. R.	57¼		

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Atchison	66	Mexican Central	9⅜
Do preferred	90⅝	Amer. Sugar	121⅛
Boston & Albany	248	Do preferred	121
Boston & Maine	171	Am. Tel. & Tel.	125¼
*Boston Elevated	141	Dom. Iron & Steel	7⅜
N. Y., N. H. & H.	195	United Fruit	96
†Fitchburg pfd.	134½	U. S. Steel	10⅞
Union Pacific	74¼	Do preferred	52

*Asked. †Ex-dividend.

Electric Stocks at Boston.

Westinghouse	68	Mass. Electric	18
Gen. Electric	155	Do preferred	76½

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $219,630,830; gold, $113,982,254; silver, $8,748,144;; United States notes, $2,820,115; treasury notes of 1890, $42,493; national bank notes, $8,106,656; total receipts this day, $3,730,651; total receipts this month, $44,692,594; total receipts this year, $235,083,880; total expenditures this day, $1,690,000; total expenditures this month, $47,450,000; total expenditures this year, $257,178,017; deposits in national banks, $173,238,721.

Foreign Exchange.

The Iron City Trust Company quotes checks as follows: Sterling, $483 62; francs, $520 50; marks, $94 60; kronen (Austria), $20 25; Dutch florins, $40 20; Ital. lire (paper), $519 30; rubles, $50 75; pesetas (Spain), $15 45; kroner (Scandinavia), $26 70; Hongkong (dollars local currency), $425 50; Manila (dollars local currency), $437 50.

THE MONEY MARKET

The local money is firm and unchanged per cent on call and time loans. Clea house comparisons:

	Exchanges.	Balances
Yesterday	$ 5,645,532 19	$ 802,632
Last week	6,452,737 72	1,052,836
Last year	6,449,815 44	622,083
For Nov., 1903	150,838,240 49	21,630,962
Nov., 1902	169,332,327 18	22,012,439

Compared with the corresponding month previous years the exchanges were as follow

November, 1903	$150,838,240
November, 1902	169,332,327
November, 1901	161,433,619
November, 1900	144,895,177
November, 1899	128,749,024
November, 1898	77,784,744
November, 1897	78,265,868
November, 1896	55,029,240
November, 1895	67,058,327

Total to date—

1903..	$2,189,741,783 61	1898...	883,916,193
1902..	1,972,887,703 37	1897...	745,146,203
1901..	1,874,814,660 83	1896...	688,656,078
1900..	1,471,735,832 91	1895...	679,282,000
1899..	1,401,790,013 48		

Foreign Money Market.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—Money, 3½@4½ cent. The rate of discount for short bills is per cent. The rate of discount for months' bills is 4@4½ per cent. Consols money, 88 15-16 per cent. Consols for the count, 89¼ per cent. Money was in strong mand in the market today. Discounts steady. On the stock exchange a dull feel prevailed and business was moderate.

PARIS, Nov. 30.—Prices on the bourse day opened heavy, owing to month-end liq dation, recovered in the afternoon and clo firm. The private rate of discount 213 1-16 per cent.

NOVEMBER STOCK MARKE

The business on the Pittsburgh stock change during November, like the transacti passing through the Pittsburgh clearing hou was the smallest for any month this year, fo ing up only 61,172 shares stock and $182, bonds. One cause of the falling off was entire absence of dealings in the bank trust company group. No public quotations this class of stocks were made all month, so far as could be judged from brokers' ports, there were few private sales. Anoth cause was the stringency in money. The loc banks and trust companies, according to official reports made on the 17th ult., had total of nearly $5,000,000 bills payable and discounts. These were negotiated for the p pose of taking care of regular customers, under conditions of the money market wh made them imperative, there were no fu for the accommodation of traders on marg even if brokers were disposed to encourage class of business. The great bulk of the tra actions on the exchange during the past mo may therefore be put down to the cash c tomer. Taking that view of the market showing is not so discouraging. Compar final prices with October, 20 stocks show declines, six net advances and three closed changed. Twelve different bond issues w dealt in, and of these seven show net ga and only three net losses. The transactio were distributed as follows:

Shares.	High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Ch'ge.
2685 Brewing	25½	*24	25	
355 Do preferred	43	†*40½	43	
60 Citizens Trac.	62	62	62	
225 Consol. Ice	4⅜	4	4	
7 Do preferred	34	34	34	
4421 Crucible Steel	4⅝	3½	3⅞	
3998 Do preferred	†32½	29	29⅞	
5088 Fire Proofing	12⅞	4⅝	6¼	
2947 Do preferred	25¼	†20	†22½	
20 H.-W. Refrac.	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞	
310 Luster Mining	10½	10	10¼	
4969 M. L. & H.	29	25	28½	
100 Marsden	2	2	2	
116 Ohio Fuel Sup.	36	35⅝	36	
517 Phila. Co.	†36	35	†35	
6 Do preferred	42	42	42	
50 P., B. & L. E. pfd	75	75	75	
3550 Pgh. Coal	20	18½	18½	
8594 Do preferred	62¾	59⅞	60⅛	
100 Pgh. Pl. Glass	108	108	108	
50 River Coal	8	8	8	
387 Do preferred	28	25½	25½	
7 Stand U. Cable	190	190	190	
8251 U. S. Steel	13⅛	9⅞	11	
7685 Do preferred	58	50	52	
628 W. Airbrake	†132	128	128	
200 W. Elec. 1sts	85	83	85	
5301 Do 2ds	†69½	66⅝	69⅝	
5 W. Glass pfd.	50	50	50	
61172				
BONDS.				
$8000 Am. Clay 5s	50	50	50	
19000 B. K. & A. 6s	116	115	115½	
65000 Brewing 6s	110	109	110	
11000 Con. Gas 5s	109	107	109	
3000 Junc. R. R. 1st M. 6s	116¾	116¾	116¾	
7000 M. L. & P. 5s	100½	100	100½	
5000 Phil. Co. old 5s	108	107	108	
1000 P., A. & M. 5s	112½	112½	112½	
1000 P. V. con 5s	112½	112½	112½	
1000 P. V. 1st M. 5s	112½	112½	112½	
41000 Riv. Coal 6s	110	107	110	
20000 U.S.S.s.f. 5s	69¾	66½	69¾	
$182000				

*Ex-dividend. †Less than 10 shares.

WALL STREET MARKET STRONG AT THE CLOSE

Professionals Take Advantage of Absence of Selling to Open Campaign.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, Dec. 1.

The Herald this (Tuesday) morning says: Professional operators in Wall street were in no wise deterred by an advance in the call money market yesterday and succeeded in transforming an irregular stock market in the early trading into a strong one before the close. The market showed only moderate activity and no change in the character of the trading. Commission houses reported no increase in outside interest, and activity was confined to a limited group of stocks. The absence of genuine selling or liquidation was noticeable, and taking advantage of that, a movement directed against the short interest to force covering seemed to be well under way. The improvement, while general, was, in the case of active stocks, confined within small fractions and was to be rather stubbornly contested in some stocks.

The news of the day was of a highly mixed character, but aside from the money market there was little of a specific nature. In the general business situation the reports of resumption of work at some of the iron mills was regarded as favorable, as was also the fact that wage reductions in New England cotton mills had been unattended by disturbances. These were slightly offset by the announcement of a few new receiverships, but as neither the shipbuilding plant, the Bell foundry, the granite works nor others which succumbed during the day had any relations with Wall street, the report of business mortality passed without influence. The passage of the preferred stock dividend on Republic Steel was not announced until after business hours. Gold imports offset high money rates and the sharp advance of staple commodities was ignored.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Money on call strong; 6@10 per cent; lowest, 6 per cent; closing bid, 6½ per cent; offered at 7 per cent; time loans firm; 60 days, 6 per cent; 90 days and six months, 5½@6 per cent; prime mercantile paper 6@6½ per cent; sterling exchange heavy, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 83.40@4 83.45 for demand and at $4 79.75@4 79.90 for 60-day bills; posted rates, $4 81@4 84; commercial bill rates, $4 81½ and $4 84½@4 85; commercial bills, $4 79½@4 79⅝; bar silver, 56¼c; Mexican dollars, 43c; government bonds unchanged; railroad bonds firm.

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Cotton, spot closed steady, 15 points higher; middling uplands, 11.65c; do gulf, 11.90c; sales, 900 bales; futures closed firm; December, 11.41c; January, 11.18c; February, 11.53c; March, 11.58c; April, 11.58c; May, 11.58c; June, 11.55c; July, 11.58c; August, 11.18c.

Railroad Safe Blown Open.

PHOENIXVILLE, PA., Nov. 30.—The safe at the passenger station of the Pennsylvania railroad was blown open with dynamite early today and robbed of $150. There is no clue to the robbers.

MOVEMENTS IN TRADE.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—Bullion to the amount of £50,000 was withdrawn from the Bank of England for shipment to South America.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The National City bank has engaged $500,000 additional gold in London. Lazard Freres today engaged $900,000 in London.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—A telegraphic transfer of $700,000 to San Francisco was made today by the sub-treasury for account of local banking interests. Further large shipments are likely.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—National bank notes received today for redemption, $622,452; government receipts from internal revenue, $1,738,317; customs, $786,362; miscellaneous, $1,206,071; expenditures, $1,690,000.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—Saturday, December 5, will be observed as a holiday on the London stock exchange.

Standard Investment Bonds.

The Colonial Trust Company, 317 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, offers for sale a variety of bonds, yielding the purchaser from 4½ to 5% per cent, which it recommends as desirable investments.

Inquire of Alexander C. Thompson, manager bond department.

ADAMS EXPRESS EXPECTS BIG HOLIDAY BUSINESS

In anticipation of the largest business ever done in Pittsburgh during the Christmas holidays the Adams Express Company is arranging to increase its force and has requested additional train service. A meeting has been called for Friday next at the Hotel Henry, when the company's officials will meet the transportation officials of the Pennsylvania lines east and west. Within the last two years there has been an increase of 50 per cent in the business on the Pennsylvania system, while the Christmas tonnage has increased by leaps and bounds. This time last year the express people asked for several new trains between here and Altoona. These trains proved so necessary that they have been run every day since.

Notwithstanding the addition of several through express trains which the Pennsylvania put on Sunday and the trains continued from last Christmas, the Adams company wants more service, and there is little doubt but that the requests will be granted.

The Pennsylvania railroad recently put on an express train between here and Altoona which leaves the Union station at 4:45 a. m., and a second train at 8 a. m., which runs as a section of No. 12. In addition a milk train running to Conemaugh and leaving here at 3:30 p. m. has been doing express business for several months.

Arrangements are being made for a new through train from Philadelphia to Pittsburgh. This train will carry express exclusively and will make all stops. It will run as a section of No. 13, leaving Philadelphia at 7:28 a. m. and arriving here at 8:50 p. m. It will be a relief train to Nos. 13 and 31. No. 31 at present leaves Philadelphia at 7:10 and does express business. If the new train is put on No. 13's schedule likely will be quickened.

A. W. Thompson Takes Hold.

Arthur W. Thompson, who has been appointed superintendent of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad at Cumberland, left last evening on the Duquesne limited to assume his new duties this morning. All day yesterday Mr. Thompson was in charge of his friends here. A number of them gave him a dinner last evening, not so much as a farewell as a congratulation gathering. Mr. Thompson has risen to the superintendency of an important division in less than seven years since he left college. He was a member of the class of 1897 at Allegheny college, Meadville. He studied engineering and entered a private firm's employ in Pittsburgh. He then worked for about a year for the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, going about four years ago with the Baltimore & Ohio, first in Pittsburgh as an assistant engineer, then at Cumberland as division engineer. He came back to Pittsburgh over a year ago as division engineer. This position he has filled with the most marked credit, the heaviest work ever done on the division being started, and in a large part completed during his service here. He leaves this city with the best wishes of many friends.

New Train Paid the First Day.

The passenger department of a large railway system is no mean criterion in making financial soundings. The fact, however, that passenger trains always run does not convey the impression that times are not hard, but when times are said to be hard and trains are added in spite of the tightness of money there is room to discredit the "calamity reports." Such a thing has been done by the Pennsylvania railroad passenger department. Sunday a new train left here at 12:01 for Philadelphia, while at night a new train was run from the east, to say nothing of a number of other new ones. The noon train east not only made expenses, but added a few dollars to the net earnings, while the train from New York, arriving here at 9 a. m. yesterday morning was loaded. There was no appreciable falling off in traffic on other trains. The new trains made their schedules on time.

Railroad Notes.

T. C. Link, architect of the Wabash station at Pittsburgh, arrived here yesterday.

S. C. Long, superintendent of the Pittsburgh division of the Pennsylvania, has gone east.

W. A. Terry, general freight agent of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, will entertain a party of western railroad officials the latter part of the week.

The following new stations have been established on the Allegheny Valley: Major, between Weedville and Tyler on the Low Grade division, and Sarah Furnace, directly north of East Brady on the River division.

The Brotherhood of Baggage and Freight Handlers has been granted a few slight concessions by the Pennsylvania railroad. A conference has just been concluded in Philadelphia between General Manager W. W. Atterbury and a committee from the union.

News was received here yesterday of the death of H. R. Dering, assistant general passenger agent of the Pennsylvania lines at Chicago. The funeral services will be held in Columbus today and will be attended by a party of passenger officials from Pittsburgh, which will include E. A. Ford, general passenger agent; Frank Van Dusen, Col. Samuel Moody, F. E. Eshelman, J. K. Dillon, T. C. Seidener, C. S. Shoemaker, W. J. Fleming and Albert Arnold.

BAD MAN WAS ARRESTED.

Pole Stole $500, Was Caught, Broke Handcuffs, Hurt Two Men, but Was Recaptured.

A daring robbery was committed at the Wabash camp at Greentree last night, when John Savovitch, a Pole, got away with $500 belonging to his boarding master. Savovitch was suspected and was arrested about 10 o'clock through the office of Alderman McGovern. The prisoner went to the West End in a Crafton car. He overpowered the two constables guarding him, twisted off his handcuffs and with them knocked one of his guards, John McLaughlin, unconscious.

Savovitch then made his escape and went back to the camp, where he made his appearance in the midst of the boarders—to their consternation. The man, who is of extraordinary strength, made the boast that no policeman could take him. One of the constables appeared within a half hour and covering Savovitch with a revolver handcuffed him and placed him under arrest.

BROTHERS FATALLY SHOT ON HIGHWAY BY STRANGER

WARREN, O., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Two Orangeville men, Thomas and Fred Carr, lie at the point of death, the victims of an unknown desperado. They were driving home from Greenville when a stranger drove up behind and passed them. One of the Carr boys said: "So that is the way you do it." The man turned and, drawing a pistol, said: "I'll show you how I do it," fired four shots and drove on. They were unable to give a description of their assailant. Excitement in the township is intense, as the Carr boys are very popular.

BOATING COURSE FOR PRINCETON IS ASSURED

PRINCETON, N. J., Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Confirmation of the report that Andrew Carnegie is to build a lake for Princeton was obtained tonight when a prominent alumnus assured a representative of The Gazette that such a lake is to be constructed. Mr. Carnegie's proposition was that if Princeton obtained the land he would provide the money. The necessary land has been obtained or is held on option and contractors are figuring on excavation and bank building.

CONTRACTOR AND A CHECK MYSTERIOUSLY MISSING

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—Richard Schoultz, president and treasurer of the Penn Erecting Company, is mysteriously missing. At the time of his disappearance he had a check for $18,600. His friends fear he has met with foul play. His company has the contract for the new state capitol building at Harrisburg.

Elgin Butter Market.

ELGIN, ILL., Nov. 30.—Butter ruled firm on the board of trade this afternoon, selling at 25c a pound, an advance of 1c from last week. Sales in the district were 525,000 pounds.

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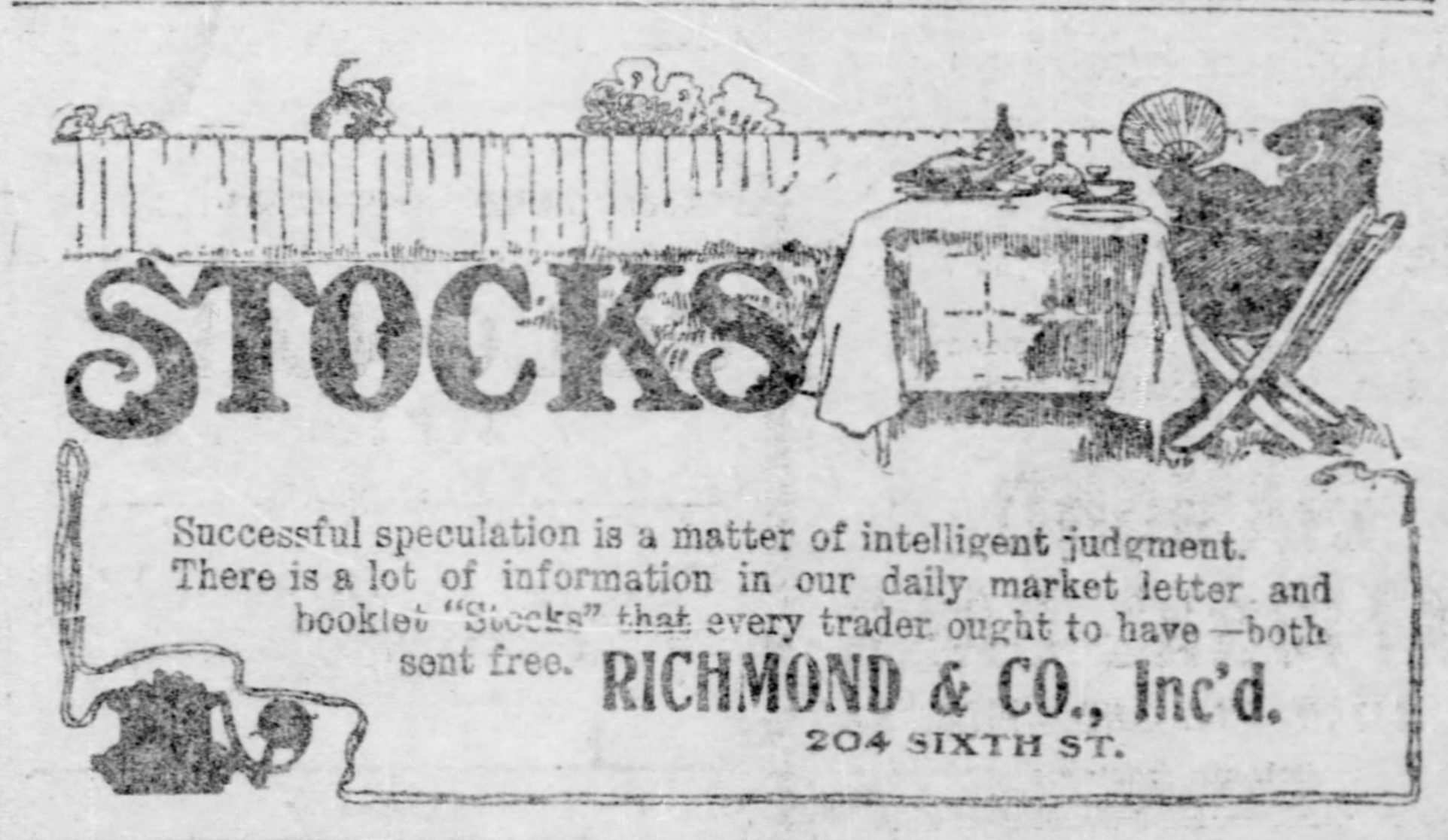

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BIG IMPROVEMENT FOR EAST LIBERTY

Eight Story Building to Go Up in Frankstown Avenue at Cost of $200,000.

SECOND AVENUE LOT SOLD

The first real evidence of a healthy boom in East Liberty, to result from the extension of Hamilton avenue to Penn avenue, and the widening of Frankstown avenue from Penn avenue to the boulevard, comes in the shape of a project to erect an eight-story store and office building on the property now owned by the Pittsburgh Railways Company. Plans were sent to this city last week by an eastern architect, and several local firms are bidding on different parts of the work. Much secrecy is being maintained about the prospective owners, although it is given out on the best of authority that there is no doubt about the project going through. Bidders are inclined to believe that the Pittsburgh Railways Company is the real builder. The site is a vacant lot facing 235 feet on the south side of Frankstown avenue, a few rods east of Penn avenue, and extending through 175 feet to the Pennsylvania railroad and Penn avenue. On the former it has a frontage of 175 feet and 100 feet on the latter. The proposed Hamilton avenue extension will take off 50 feet from the rear of the lot, leaving the building 235x125 feet in dimensions, for it will cover the entire Frankstown avenue frontage.

Will Cost $200,000.

The plans call for an eight-story brick and steel structure with terra cotta front. Eight storerooms will be provided on the first floor. The next three floors will be used for offices exclusively and the upper four floors will be laid out in suites of four and five rooms for apartments. The estimated cost of the building is $200,000. Its location, one square from the East Liberty station makes it almost at the center of what is looked upon as the new business district of East Liberty and its frontages on the two leading business streets of the East End will make it by far the most desirable business location in that district. With the improvements on the two streets assured there is every reason to believe that other building projects will soon be undertaken in the same vicinity. If the Pittsburgh Railways Company is backing the project it shows the faith that shrewd business men have in the East Liberty district where a new station will add much to property values.

Record Breaker for Pittsburgh.

The exchange deal between Frank McCann and Herbert DuPuy, amounting to nearly $2,000,000 and noted in detail in another column, is typical of the trend of real estate developments nowadays. At least two-thirds of the large deals put through since October 1 have been exchanges. This deal, which is a record-breaker for Pittsburgh, was made by A. O. Detchon and J. C. Ewing of the Union Realty Company.

Through the Commonwealth Real Estate and Trust Company James F. Keenan and Edwin Wheeler have sold to Charles A. Bruce the plumber, No. 522 Second avenue, for $18,000. The lot is 24x65 feet facing on the south side of the avenue between Grant and Ross streets and is part of the Mellor property which was sold last spring. It is improved with a three-story brick house and was bought for investment.

Charles Bradley has sold to George W. Howley, Jr., a ten-room brick house with lot 48x100 feet on the south side of Penn avenue near Lang avenue, Twenty-second ward, for $10,450.

Bishop Richard Phelan yesterday got title to two properties in the Twenty-seventh ward for $10,000. One belonged to William E. Sankey and consists of a residence property, 40x150 feet, on the south side of Mission street near Sterling street. This brought $6,000. The other property, belonging to Thomas H. Sankey, was an improved lot, 40x150 feet, on Mission street near Picnic street and was sold for $4,000.

Decrease of $1,500,000 in Realty Deals.

November added another discouraging record in Pittsburgh real estate. Her total of 443 deeds amounting to $2,335,200 registered at the city hall fell below that of November, 1902, by about $1,500,000 and was $1,200,000 below the amount of business registered in October of this year. It is interesting to note that the big slump in real estate did not come till October, the preceding months of this year having shown a substantial gain over those of 1902. October fell off over one-half and November showed a decrease of 54 per cent. The loss is confined chiefly to deals in large properties of which there have been surprisingly few of late. In small properties, especially houses, there has been a steady volume of business and it has been well scattered over the city. The East End during November came in for a majority of the deals of over $15,000 most of which were for high-class residences.

Following is the November record for the past four years:

1903	443 deeds	$2,335,200
1902	527 deeds	3,895,100
1901	446 deeds	3,706,100
1900	428 deeds	3,147,400

Story Was Filed Away Last Year.

An afternoon paper yesterday attempted to beguile the innocent public into the notion that it had a news item by printing on the first page the fact that F. W. F. Lovejoy would erect a beautiful residence on Braddock avenue, Twenty-second ward, and adding that "Mr. Lovejoy had not yet announced when he would begin the excavations for his new home." The reading public was fully informed of this particular project nearly a year ago, the foundations of the house were started four months ago and the walls are now nearly completed. According to the permit taken out yesterday the residence will cost $200,000, but reliable estimates put the cost when completed at nearly $500,000. Architects Alden & Harlow designed the residence and it is being erected by William Miller & Sons.

Henry W. Oliver was awarded a permit yesterday for a four-story brick building to be erected on the old Stevenson-Foster site at Wood and Virgin streets at a cost of $40,000. Excavations are nearly completed.

The Wilhelm-Griesser Construction Company is receiving estimates on a brewery for the Cataract Consumers Brewing Company, at Niagara Falls. The brewery will also have a 150-barrel outfit and will cost $150,000.

First Office Building in Wylie Avenue.

H. Smith & Sons, who were among the first property owners to remodel the upper floors of their store buildings for flats, will have the distinction of erecting the first office building in Wylie avenue. Architect M. Nirdlinger is now preparing plans for the building, a three-story brick and terra cotta structure, to be located at No. 806. The building will cost $15,000 and will contain three storerooms and 12 offices. The property now occupied by the owners at Wylie avenue and Federal street was sold last spring, and possession will be given February 1.

The same architect is taking bids on remodeling a three-story building in Market street, near Fourth avenue, for Landau Bros., to cost $2,500.

Aspinwall: The C. H. Wanner Company sold for G. H. Moore to Mary Klingensmith a new nine-room reception hall brick house, lot 33x101 feet, at the northeast corner of Western avenue and Second street, Aspinwall, for $7,500.

McKeesport: The Commercial Realty Company sold these lots in the Tube Mills plan at McKeesport: No. 30 to John Thayer for $580, No. 177 to J. C. Barr for $590, Nos. 179 and 180 to G. L. Lind for $1,190, Nos. 27, 28 and 29 to Joseph Delruxes for $1,770. The lots are in Jefferson and Palmer avenues.

House Sales in East End.

Fairmount avenue: J. L. Back sold to Thomas McNally a lot 60x180 feet on the west side of Fairmount avenue, near Penn avenue, Twentieth ward, for $8,000.

East End: The Pittsburgh Trust Company sold to Elizabeth B. Coleman three lots 77x221 feet on the south side of Idlewild street, Thirty-seventh ward, for $4,350, and to George H. Shickler a lot 50x122 feet on the north side of Hermitage street, Twenty-first ward, for $2,340.

Margaretta street: Rosina Feigel sold to William P. Cherry an improved lot 28x35 feet at the northwest corner of Margaretta and Mellon streets, Nineteenth ward, for $7,500.

Lawrenceville: Lizzie George sold to T. F. Manley an improved lot 40x100 feet on the west side of Fifty-seventh street, Eighteenth ward, for $5,400.

Lincoln avenue: Archibald K. Henderson sold to James Cromie an improved lot 33x131 feet on the southeast side of Lincoln avenue, near Meadow street, Twenty-first ward, for $3,500.

Cliff street: Robert Sprouls sold to Morris Mentser an improved lot 19.5x122 feet on the south side of Cliff street, near Ledlie street, Eleventh ward, for $3,150.

Augustine street: Chester West sold to Evan Arthurs an improved lot 26x100 feet on the south side of Augustine street, near Bristol street, Twenty-third ward, for $2,300.

Madison avenue: John Fay sold to Mary O'Hagan a lot 24x100 feet on the south side of Madison avenue, Thirteenth ward, for $1,000.

Transfers Recorded.

Pittsburgh Trust Co to Oriena Donahue, Oct 22, 21st wd, Pgh, 25x100, Idlewild st.	$ 1,100
Meyer Louis to John Davis, June 12, McKees Rocks, 35x100, Railroad st.	4,000
Appleby Chas to C R Fleming, Sept 29, Tarentum, 50x125, Tenth ave.	2,715
Lazier Thos C to J T Keil, Nov 16, 20th wd, Pgh, 90x120, Alder st.	14,850
Elias A J to Ellen McAtee, Nov 14, 9th wd, McKeesport, 25x100, Carson ave.	2,750
Peterson C O to John Bowin, Sept 24, 7th wd, McKeesport, 25x76, Beaver st.	650
McCleary Geo M to Henry Ingram, Nov 16, 7th wd, McKeesport, 20x60, Oak st.	1,500
Barclay Geo A to J Tannenbaum, Nov 6, 11th wd, Pgh, 22x132, Clark st.	4,500
Fidelity T & T Co to Louis Cohen, Aug 1, 1st wd, Pgh, 40x57, Second ave.	25,000
Ligo Geo W to B Giovango, Oct 28, 11th wd, Ally, 23x57, Williams st.	1,500
Anderson H E to Geo W Ligo, Nov 1, 11th wd, Ally, 23x57, Williams st.	1,000
Allegh-Bell Land Co to F Schwitter, Nov 19, Ross twp, 3 lots, Land Co plan	6,000
Friedman J M to T C Warder, Nov 12, 5th wd, Pgh, 24x145, Sixth ave.	17,200
McKenna Mary A to R A Dinguid, Oct 10, 21st wd, Pgh, 24x100, Carver st.	2,000
Speck J J to Bessie D Gregg, Nov 21, 23d wd, Pgh, 100x60, Second ave.	48,500
Rex D J to Annie Tarr, Sept 30, Sheraden, 62x88, Walnut st.	2,100
Bibler M to Wm Steidle, Nov 16, 14th wd, Ally, 22x100 Main st.	1,200
Gregg A E to S Farrer, Oct 28, 22d wd, Pgh, 27x100 Lang ave.	6,000
Steele R W to H Schoeneman, Nov 16, Richland twp, 26 acres	1,500
Dunn John N to Jennie S Creese, Oct 30, Sheraden, 25x90, Motor st.	3,000
Steele R W to A Schoeneman, Nov 16, Richland twp, 26 acres	1,500
McCabe W R to First Bap Ch, Coraopolis, Oct 23, Coraopolis, 40x100 State ave.	1,000
Ormond B K to Geo K Ormond, Sept 17, Carnegie, 33x106, Lydia st.	860
Cubbage B G to L Russell, Nov 13, Scott twp, 42x99, Campbell st.	700
Snyder E L to L E McAbee, Oct 1, Versailles boro, 63 Sycamore st.	4,000
McKee Thomas to J J Walters, Nov 28, 23d wd, Pgh, 30x90, Coleman st.	2,400
Lentz J B to J C Trichtinger, Oct 9, 23d wd, Pgh, 30x90, Coleman st.	3,000
McCormick J W to S Sacco, Oct 28, 32d wd, Pgh, 50x71, Sycamore st.	1,100
Marcus P to Annie Rotstein, Oct 6, Turtle Creek, 30x100, Braddock ave.	575

RISE IN COFFEE.

Record-Breaking Day for the Market With Big Price Advance.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The market for coffee futures opened firm at an advance of 10 to 15 points and ruled very active during the entire session the business coming out at the largest total for the season. The activity and strength had no special explanation, being due apparently to the increased confidence of the bullish interests now operating in the market as a result of the firmness in primary markets, continued light primary receipts and further reports of unsatisfactory crop conditions.

The European markets were also higher than considered likely, and while toward the middle of the day the local market eased off about 5 points, it was quickly rallied again by the aggressive attitude of the leading bull interests and was finally firm net 15 to 25 points higher.

Sales were 203,500 bags, including December at 5.75@5.85c; January at 5.90@5.95c; February at 6.05c; March at 6.15@6.25c; May at 6.40@6.50c; June at 6.55c; July at 6.60@6.65c; August at 6.70c; September at 6.70@6.80c, and October at 6.75@6.85c.

Sugar—Raw steady. Fair refining, 3¼c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3¾c; molasses sugar, 3c. Refined quiet. Crushed, 5.65c; powdered, 4.55c; granulated, 4.45c.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Butter—Receipts, 2,898 pkgs; firm; extra creamery, 25c; creamery, common to choice, 16@24½c; state dairy, 15@21c. Cheese—Receipts, 3,941 pkgs; firm; state, full creams, fancy small colored, September, 12c; late made, 10¼c; small white, September, 12c; late made, 10¼c; large colored, 12c; late made, 10¼c; large white, September, 12c; late made, 10¼c. Eggs—Receipts, 4,536 pkgs; steady; state and Pennsylvania, nearby, average best, 32c; state and Pennsylvania, seconds to firsts, 28@31c; western extras, 31c; western thirds to seconds, 26@29c; western firsts, 30c; refrigerated, 22@26c.

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Butter steady; creameries, 16@24½c; dairies, 14@19c. Eggs easier; at mark, cases included, 23@26c. Cheese steady to firm, 10@10½c.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 30.—Butter steady, good demand; extra western creamery, 25c; nearby prints, 26c. Eggs quiet; unchanged; fresh nearby, 32c, loss off; western, 31@32c; southwestern, 30c; southern, 28c. Cheese quiet and barely steady; New York full creams, fancy, 11⅝c; choice, 11½c; fair to good, 10¾@11¼c.

The Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The drygoods market shows a steadily advancing tendency and in certain cases new quotations have been openly made. The further advance in cotton has given the manufacturer renewed independence in his advices to his representatives. Buyers are conspicuous by their absence, but more or less current business is reported of a filling-in character.

CHRISTMAS TRIMMINGS BEGINNING TO ARRIVE

Fine Holly and Laurel Wreaths. Butter Took Another Jump. Corn Two Cents Higher.

Christmas goods began to arrive in the local markets yesterday and produce dealers started to trim up their stores for the holiday trade. The first supply is fine, and the prices have not yet been established. Laurel, holly wreaths and evergreens are expected in the usual amounts for the Christmas trade. Holly wreaths were quoted at $2 00 a dozen.

Butter took another jump yesterday and is quoted a cent a pound higher than a week ago. The advance of last week, followed by another jump yesterday, shows the firmness of the butter market. Eggs continue strong, also, while cheese is about the same. Sugar, which grew weaker last week, is quoted 10 points lower by all the wholesalers. Other groceries were moving slowly.

The produce market is about the same. Specialties are having a good demand, while in general the market is moving easily. Poultry and game will probably be quiet until stirred by the Christmas demands.

The hay, grain and feed market is moving fairly firm. The supply of hay was larger yesterday than the receipts of some time for a single day. New yellow ear corn No. 2 is quoted two cents a bushel higher than yesterday. Corn and hay are firm, while oats are holding their own.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED.

Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania lines, 44 cars hay, 20 cars oats, 9 cars corn, 7 cars feed, 4 cars rye, 1 car straw; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, 18 cars hay, 2 cars corn, 1 car oats, 1 car rye, 1 car feed; Baltimore & Ohio railroad, 15 cars hay, 1 car corn-oats.

Hay, No. 1 timothy	$14.00@14.25
do No. 2	$12.50@13.50
No. 1 clov.	$12.00@12.50
do No. 2	$10.50@11.00
No. 1 mix	$12.00@13.00
Loose from wagon	$15.00@17.00
Straw, oat	$8.50@9.00
do wheat	$8.50@9.00
do rye	$12.50@13.00
Oats, No. 2 white	41@41½c
do No. 3	40@40½c
do No. 4	39@39½c
Rye, No. 2 Mich	63@64c
White middlings, No. 2, ton	$21.50@22.00
do brown	$20.00@21.00
Bran, ton	$17.50@18.00
Wheat, No. 2 red	79@80c
Corn, No. 2 yellow shelled	52@52½c
High mix	50½@51c
No. 2 mix	49½@50c
No. 2 yel. ear	52½@53c
High mix	51½@52c
New No. 2 yellow ear	51@52c

GROCERIES.

Flour.	
Fancy spg. p.	$4.85@4.90
Fancy winter pat	$4.25@4.30
Straight win.	$3.85@4.00
Bakers' spg.	$3.40@3.60
Rye	$3.65@3.75
Graham	$4.00@4.50
Cornmeal bbl	$3.25@3.40
do 10-lb cotton bags	17@18c
Rolled oats, bbl	$5.10
do kegs	$2.70
Roasted Coffee.	
Rio	9½@12c
Santos	22½@23½c
Maracaibo	17@17½c
Peaberry	17@18c
Golden Rio	15@15½c
Caracas	19@19½c
Standard pkgs	$10.05@10.55
High gr'de	$17.30@18.30
Molasses, fancy refined	35@37c
do choice	32@35c
do open ket	38@40c
Syrup.	
Fancy sugar	28@30c
Sug. and cane	24@25c
Prime	24@25c
2½-lb cans, doz	90c
3-lb cans, doz	$1.10
5-lb cans, doz	$1.85
10-lb cans, doz	$3.40
Maple, gal	75c@$1.00
Oatmeal, bbl	$5.60
do kegs	$2.95
Sugar, sta. gran.	4.65c
do bags	4.55c
do 2-lb carton	4.80c
Sugar, 5-lb cotton bags	4.80c
do powdered	4.75c
do pow'd xxxx	4.80c
do cubes	4.80c
do cut loaf	5.15c
do coff. A	4.50@4.60c
do No. 1 yellow	4.30c
do No. 2 yellow	4.25c
do No. 3 yellow	4.20c
Beans.	
Navy, H. P.	$2.30@2.40
Navy, imp	$2.10@2.15
Red kidney	$3.50@3.70
Cal. lima, lb	4½@5c
Peas, dried, bu	$1.40@1.45
do split, lb	4c
do marrow, bu	$2.00@2.10
Oil, carbon, 110 deg	13¼c
do headlight	14c
do water white	14¼c
do Ohio W. W. 150 deg	14c
do miners'	25@45c
do Elaine	17c
do special brands	26@43c
Rice, ex-fancy head, lb	7@7¾c
do fancy Japan	5½@6½c
do choice Carolina	5@6½c
Salt, No. 1, bbl	95c
do No. 1 extra	$1.05
do gran. rock	95c
do pocket	$1.55@1.85
do dairy	$1.25
Sauer kraut, cask	$6.75
do bbls	$5.40
do half bbl	$3.00

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, std. pie	$1.10
do pie, gal.	$2.50@3.00
do California L. C.	$1.90@2.35
do Maryland	$1.30@1.65
do California Y. F.	$1.80@2.00
Corn, fancy	$1.30@1.50
do std	$1.20@1.25
Cherries, Cal., white	$2.50@2.75
Lima beans	$1.20@1.45
do soaked	75@80c
String beans, 2-lb	65c
do 3-lb	95c
Stringless beans	$1.25@1.75
Peas, marrowfat	95c@$1.00
do early June	90c@$1.30
do soaked	55@65c
Apples, N. Y., gal. cans	$2.15@2.25
Pineapples	$1.00@2.25
Plums, damson	$1.00
do Calif	$1.60@1.70
Raspberries	85@95c
Gooseberries	95c@$1.00
Tomatoes, standard	85@90c
do fancy	$1.15@1.35
do gal	$3.00@3.10
Succotash, 1-lb cans	$1.45
Baked beans, cans, tomato sc.	80c@$1.40
Salmon, doz	95c@$2.00
Chipped beef	$2.25@3.75
Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans	$2.30@2.35
do 1-lb cans	$1.30@1.35
Mackerel, broiled	$1.90@2.50
Sardines, domestic, ¼s	$3.65@3.70
do mustards, ¾s	$2.75
do French	$9.00@15.75

DRIED FRUITS.

Apricots, evap., bags	9@12c
do 25-lb boxes	8½@11½c
Apples, bulk	6¾@8½c
do 1-lb cartons	7¼@7¾c
Peaches	7@10½c
Raspberries	24@24½c
Raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkgs	9½@10c
Raisins, Muscatel, 2 and 4 crown 50-lb boxes	7@8c
do Ondara Val	8¾@9c
do Cal. Val	7@7½c
Currants, cleaned, 25 and 50-lb pkgs	6¾@7c
Prunes	3½@10c
Figs, Cal	6@9c
do Turk	12½@14c

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl	$32.00
do half bbl	$16.50
do quar. bbl	$8.25
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl	$25.00
do half bbls	$12.90
do quar. bbls	$6.60
do 20-lb pails	$2.75
do 10-lb pails	$1.45
Mackerel, No. 2 bbls	$20.00
do half bbl	$11.50
do quarter bbl	$6.00
do 20-lb pails	$2.40
do 10-lb pails	$1.35
Lake herring, 100 lbs	$3.00@3.25
do 30-lb quar	$1.25
do 10-lb	48c

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu, small	$7.10@7.20
do mammoth	$7.20@7.30
do crimson	$4.50@4.75
do white Dutch	$14.00@18.00
Alsike	$8.75@9.00
Alfalfa	$8.50@9.00
Millet	$1.25@1.50
Grass, Hungarian	90c@$1.10
do lawn, lb	18@20c
do blue, 14-lb bu	$1.50@1.75
do red top, 14-lb bu	$1.10@2.00
Timothy	$1.55@1.00

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, bu store	75@80c
do track	70@75c
Sweets, Virginia	$2.00@2.25
Kiln dried	$4.00@4.25
do bu. box	$1.40@1.50
do mediums	$1.75@2.00
Turnips, bbl	$1.75@2.00
Onions, bbl	$1.75@2.00
do bulk, bu	60@65c
do new, doz	15@20c
do Spanish, crate	$1.00@1.10
Cucumbers, hothouse, doz	$1.25@1.50
Cabbage, Danish	$28.00@30.00
do bbl	$2.00@2.25
Parsley, doz	10@15c
Radishes, doz	25@35c
Kale, bu	25@30c
Celery, Ohio	25@35c
Lettuce, home, doz	70c@$1.00
do Ashtabula, basket	25@35c
do head, bbl	$6.00@8.00
Garlic, lb	7@10c
Carrots, bbl	$1.25@1.50
String beans, bu	$3.50@4.00
Cauliflower, doz	$2.25@2.50
Watercress, doz	25@30c
Brussels sprouts, quart	15@16c
Peppers, green, bbl	$1.25@1.50
Spinach, bu	75@85c
Squash, Hubbard, bbl	$1.50@1.75
do marrowfat	$1.25@1.50
Honey, new	15@17c
Parsnips, bbl	$1.75@2.00
Rutabagas	$1.00@1.25
Popcorn, lb	4@5c
Horseradish, bbl	$5.00@5.50
Egg plant, hamper	$4.00@4.50

DOMESTIC FRUITS.

Apples, fancy bbl	$3.50@4.00
do choice	$2.00@2.50
Grapes, Catawba	20c
Cranberries, box	$2.25@2.75
do bbl	$8.00@10.00

TROPICAL FRUITS.

Lemons, Messina	$4.00@4.25
do Verdelli	$4.25@4.50
do California	$3.00@3.50
Limes, per 100	$1.00
Oranges, California, Val	$3.25@3.50
do Florida	$3.50@4.00
do Jamaica, box	$3.00@3.50
do bbl	$5.00@6.00
Cocoanuts, bags	$2.50
Bananas, 1sts	$2.00@2.50
do 2ds	$1.25@1.50
Pineapples, crate	$2.50@3.00
Pears, California, E. Beauties	$1.25@1.50
do Clairgeau	$2.75
Grapes, Almeria	$3.50@6.00
do Tokay	$1.00@1.25
Grape fruit	$5.00@5.50
Red Emperor	$1.75@2.00

PROVISIONS.

Hams.	
18 lbs and up	11c
Over 14 to 18 lbs	12¼c
Over 10 to 14 lbs	13c
10 lbs and under	13¼c
Skinned	11¾c
Boneless boiled	18c
California	8¼c
Shoulders, N. Y. cut	8½c
do skinned	9c
Breakfast bacon, ribs, 8 to 10 lbs	14½c
do 10 to 12 lbs	14c
do back strips	13c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs	15c
do 10 to 12 lbs	14¾c
Breakfast bacon, back strips	13c
Dry salt sides, extra short clears	9½c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	9¾c
do 16 to 20 lbs	10c
do under 16 lbs	10c
Dry salt smoked sides, extra short clears	10½c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	10¾c
do 16 to 25 lbs	11c
do under 16 lbs	11c
Lard, pure, tierces	8c

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.	
Prints	28@28½c
Tubs	27@28c
Ohio cream	25@25½c
Dairy	17@18c
Country roll	15@16c
Cheese, N. Y. full cream	13@13½c
do Ohio	12@12½c
do ¾ crm	11¼@11½c
Cheese, Ohio Swiss	13@13½c
do Wis. Swiss, tubs	14½@15c
do 20-lb block Swiss new	14½@15c
do Limberger	13@13½c
do Brickstein	13½@14c
Eggs, candled	29@30c
do select	32@33c
do storage	27@28c

NUTS.

Chestnuts, lb	12@13c
Filberts	12c
Eng. walnuts	11@14c
S. S. almonds	16c
Tarr. almonds	15c
Mixed	12c
Brazil	11c
Italian chestnuts	8@10c
Pecans	12c
Shellbarks, bu	$1.75@2.00
Walnuts	$1.00@1.25
Butternuts	$1.00

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live hens, lb	11@12c
Live spring	12@13c
Roosters	6@7c
Turkeys	15@16c
Geese	10@12c
Dressed hens	14@15c
Dressed Springs	16@17c
Roasters	16@17c
Roosters	9@10c
Turkeys, fresh, dressed	18@20c
do frozen	21@22c
Ducks	17@18c
Capon, lb	28c
L. I. ducks	22c
Live ducks, lb	13@14c
Rabbits, pair	35@40c
No. 1 geese feather	58c
do ex. live	68c
Impt. ptarmigan, pair	$2.50
do grouse	$2.50
do partridges	$2.25
do black cocks	$2.50
do plover, doz	$4.50
Squirrels, pair	35@40c
Squab, doz	$4.50
Mallard ducks, pair	$1.75@2.00
do teal	$1.00
do blue bill	$1.50
do rudy	$1.50
do red head	$1.75@2.00
do canvas back	$3.00

Turpentine and Rosin.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 30.—Spirits turpentine firm, 55½c. Rosin, nothing doing. Tar firm, $1 80. Crude turpentine firm, $2 25, $3 80 and $3 80.

SAVANNAH, GA., Nov. 30.—Turpentine firm, 56c. Rosin firm, A, B, C, D, $2 10; E, $2 15; F, $2 25; G, $2 35; H, $2 40; I, $2 60; K, $2 80; M, $2 90; N, $3 10; W G, $3 25; W W, $3 50.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Nov. 30.—Turpentine steady, 55½c. Rosin steady.

New Oil Production Is Not of a Volume to Be Encouraging

North of the Pine Grove extension in Wetzel county, W. Va., another duster has been added to the long list charged up to the Morris Run development. The well just completed is the Kanawha Oil Company's second test on the Jack Morris farm, located due east of the South Penn Oil Company's former gusher on the Thomas J. Showalter farm. South of the Showalter the South Penn Company has drilled its test on the Hugh Sapp farm into the stray and has shut down for water. Operators in this district have had a hard proposition. The loss of money expended in development work and in the way of bonuses, will exceed that of any pool developed during the year. Out of a total of 11 wells completed, but two can lay claim to being profitable producers.

In the Smithfield district the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its test on the S. Hostutler farm into the Gordon and the hole has filled up 1,000 feet with fluid. In the same district the South Penn has drilled its test on the J. C. Poe farm into the Big Injun sand and has developed a strong gas pressure. The same company has drilled its test on the J. B. Priest farm into the Big Injun and the hole has filled up 1,000 feet with fluid.

On the east side of the Folsom district, in Harrison county, the South Penn has drilled its test on the Lucy Bennett farm through the Gordon and has a very small show of oil. In the lower end of the district, in Wetzel county, the same company has drilled its No. 46 on the Robinson tract into the stray sand 15 feet and has no show of oil at that depth.

On Fish creek, Meade district, Marshall county, the South Penn Oil Company has completed its test on the W. E. McIlvaine farm and has a duster in the Gordon. In the Conway district, Tyler county, the same company has drilled its test on the M. Staley farm through the Keener sand and has a show for a very light pumper. Recently there has been a good deal of development work completed along the eastern edge of Tyler county, but it has not come up to expectation.

In the Standing Stone district, Wirt county, W. C. Patterson & Co. have drilled their test on the C. E. Vandevender farm through the Big Injun and found that formation barren. They will drill deeper and test the Berea grit. In the same district, Pope Bros. & Co. have drilled their No. 30 on the Frank Rex farm through the Cow Run sand and found nothing, and are now drilling to the Big Injun.

In the Burning Springs district, G. H. Mealy & Co. have completed their second test on the Nancy Kidwell farm in the Big Injun and at a depth of 1,220 feet have a show for a 15-barrel pumper.

In the Brush Creek district, Allegheny county, Pa., the Southern Oil Company has completed its No. 4 on the Robinson heirs' farm and has a 30-barrel producer in the 100-foot. In the Mt. Morris district, Greene county, the Philadelphia Company has completed its test on the S. Lemmons farm and has a fair gasser.

In the Bristoria field, the South Penn Oil Company's No. 4 on the N. J. Johnson farm is holding up at 50 barrels a day. At Oakdale, Allegheny county, J. C. Fox & Co. are due in the sand at their test on the H. H. Morgan farm. N. D. Jones is drilling at 900 feet at a test on the H. Shields farm.

On the *Ohio* side, in the Lewisville district, the Pure Oil Company has completed its second test on the William A. Wheeler farm and has a show for a 10-barrel pumper in the Big Injun sand. Northeast of the Rinards Mills district, on Clear fork, the New York Petroleum Company has drilled its No. 3 on the Nancy Lindenmoor farm into the Keener sand and has a show for a 10-barrel pumper.

In the new Big Injun development on Rays run, in Washington county, Ohio, Tibbens & Withington have drilled their No. 3 on the P. Thomas farm into the Big Injun and have a show for a 20-barrel producer. The same parties have completed their No. 5 on the L. F. Yost farm and have a 25-barrel producer. In the same district, Mildren & Co. have completed a test on the Levi Thomas farm and will have a 15-barrel pumper in the Big Injun.

In the lower edge of Belmont county, the Catre Oil Company has completed its test on the N. E. McFarling farm and has a fair gasser in the Big Lime. Southwest of Barnesville, E. M. Treat & Co. have drilled their test on the J. Forbus farm through the Berea grit and have a duster.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
Nov. 28 and 29	129,971	Nov. 27 and 28	106,580
Previously	2,113,664	Previously	1,809,193
Total	2,243,635	Total	1,915,773
Daily average	77,367	Daily average	68,420

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
Nov. 28 and 29	116,944	November 27	76,304
Previously	1,794,003	Previously	1,408,748
Total	1,910,947	Total	1,485,052
Daily average	65,895	Daily average	55,002

The Oil Market.

The following are the Standard Oil Company's prices for credit balances in the different fields: Pennsylvania, $1 82; Tiona, $1 97; Corning, $1 62; New Castle, $1 35; North Lima, $1 35; South Lima and Indiana, $1 30; White House, $1 30; Somerset, $1 30; Ragland, 60c. The Producers and Refiners Oil Company quotes $1 85 for Pennsylvania crude.

OIL CITY, Nov. 30.—Credit balances, $1 82; certificates, no bid. Shipments, 135,953 bbls; average, 77,573 bbls; runs, 111,911 bbls; average, 68,330. Shipments—Lima, 116,944 bbls; average, 65,926 bbls. Runs—Lima, 76,304 bbls; average, 53,039 bbls.

TOLEDO, O., Nov. 30.—Oil—North Lima, $1 35; South Lima and Indiana, $1 30.

GRAINS CLOSE HIGHER IN CHICAGO MARKET

Big Clearance and Urgent Demand Gave Strong Tone to Wheat Pit.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Trading in wheat was on a large scale and the market exhibited decided strength throughout the entire session. Rumors that the leading long had shipped a large amount of wheat from store here to go east caused uneasiness among December shorts early in the day, and efforts on the part of such interests to cover resulted in a quick advance. There was early selling by St. Louis houses on the advance but offerings were well taken and the selling pressure was soon ended. The news was very bullish and prices continued to move upward. Small receipts in the northwest, strong cash demand and large clearances were bull influences during the latter part of the day. Primary receipts were 1,545,900 bushels against 1,980,200 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 1,179 cars against 1,402 cars last week, and 1,697 a year ago.

Covering by shorts on the strength in wheat was the feature in trading in corn and prices ruled strong. There was plenty of December for sale early but not much wanted. Steady cables, a decrease of about a quarter million bushels in the visible supply and an improved cash demand helped to maintain the higher level of prices.

Oats were firm, along with the strength in wheat and corn. A big local short was the best buyer and offerings were light and mostly from scattered sources. Receipts were small and the cash demand somewhat improved.

Small receipts of hogs and an advance of from 10 to 15c in the price at the yards started shorts to cover early in the day, and hog product values showed good gains. Offerings were small and mostly in the way of profit-taking by people who bought last week. While all of the advance did not hold the market ruled strong and closed higher. January pork being up 5@7½c, at $10 92½. January lard was 10@12½c higher at $6 40@6 42½, while ribs were up 10c at $5 87½.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow—Wheat, 175 cars; corn, 340 cars; oats, 190 cars; hogs, 24,000 head.

The leading futures, reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., members of the Chicago Board of Trade, Farmers Bank Building, are as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Saturday's Close.
WHEAT No. 2.					
Dec.	81⅛	82¼	80⅝	82	80⅝
May	80⅞	81⅝	80¼	81⅜	80¼
July	75¼	76⅛	75⅛	76⅛	75¼
CORN. No. 2.					
Dec.	41⅜	41⅞	41¼	41⅞	41⅜
May	41⅞	42⅛	41⅝	42¼	41⅝
July	41⅝	42⅛	41⅝	42⅛	41½
OATS. No. 2.					
Dec.	33¾	34⅛	33¾	34⅛	34
May	35⅝	36	35¼	35¾	35⅝
July	33⅛	33½	33	33⅜	33
MESS PORK.					
Jan.	11 00	11 00	10 87½	10 92½	10 87½
May	11 20	11 25	11 15	11 22½	11 12½
LARD.					
Jan.	6 42½	6 45	6 37½	6 42½	6 32½
May	6 50	6 52½	6 47½	6 50	6 42½
SHORT RIBS.					
Jan.	5 87½	5 87½	5 85	5 87½	5 77½
May	6 05	6 07½	6 00	6 05	5 95

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour was steady; No. 3 spring wheat, 79@82c; No. 2 red, 83¾@86¼c; No. 2 corn, 42½c; No. 2 yellow, 42½c; No. 2 oats, 34⅛c; No. 3 white, 34½@38c; No. 2 rye, 53c; good feeding barley, 34@35c; fair to choice malting, 36@41c; No. 1 flaxseed, 91c; No. 1 northwestern, 97½c; prime timothy seed, $2 80; mess pork, $11 12½@11 25; lard, $6 47½@6 50; short ribs sides (loose), $6 25@6 50; short clear sides (boxed), $6 12½@6 25; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 25; clover, contract grade, $11 00.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	40,000	12,100
Wheat, bu	214,000	549,700
Corn, bu	297,400	379,600
Oats, bu	352,400	141,600
Rye, bu	19,600	7,500
Barley, bu	161,500	9,200

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Flour, receipts, 9,465 bbls; exports, 25,723 bbls; sales, 12,000 bbls. Firm and held higher. Winter straights $4 00@4 10. Rye flour dull. Buckwheat flour easy; $2 20@2 30. Cornmeal firm.

Grain—Rye steady. Barley steady. Wheat, receipts, 116,025 bu; exports, 62,531 bu. Spot, firmer; No. 2 red, 88⅝c elevator; No. 2 red, 89⅝c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, 91⅛c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, nominal f. o. b. afloat. Options were active and strong all day, deriving an impulse from bullish weekly and daily statistics, including heavy clearances. Good support at Chicago by elevator people also affected the market and the close was strong at ¾@⅞c net advance. May, 84 5-16@85c, closed at 84¾c; July, 80¾@81¼c, closed 81⅛c; December, 88 7-16@88¾c, closed 88¾c. Corn, receipts, 46,250 bu; exports, 17,141 bu. Spot firm; No. 2, 49⅝c elevator and 50⅝c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 51¼c; No. 2 white, 50¾c. Option market was quiet, but showed marked strength with wheat and on predictions for snow. Wall street was reported a buyer in Chicago. The close was firm at ½c net advance. May, 47⅞@48⅛c, closed 48⅛c; December, 49¼@49⅝c, closed 49⅝c. Oats, receipts, 22,000 bu; exports, 62,891 bu. Spot firm; No. 2, 41c; standard white, 42c; No. 3, 39¾c; No. 2 white 42½c; No. 3 white, 41½c; track, white, 41@45c.

TOLEDO, O., Nov. 30.—Cloverseed, cash, $6 75; December, $6 75; January, $6 80; February, $6 85; March, $6 90; prime alsike, $6 50; prime timothy, $1 37½.

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 30.—Wheat, December, 80⅛@80¼c; May, 81⅛c; No. 1 hard, 82⅞c; No. 1 northern, 81⅞c; No. 2 northern, 79⅞c; No. 3 northern, 75@77½c.

DULUTH, MINN., Nov. 30.—Wheat to arrive, No. 1 hard, 81¼c; No. 1 northern, 79⅞c; No. 2 northern, 77¼c; December, 79c; May, 81¼c.

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 30.—Wheat higher; No. 1 northern, 84@84½c; No. 2 northern, 82@83½c; May, 81⅞c. Rye firm; No. 1, 57c. Barley 1c lower; No. 2, 62@63c; sample, 34@60c. Corn steady; November, 46@46½c; May, 42@42⅛c bid.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 30.—Wheat, December, 90⅛c; May, 83⅜c; No. 2 hard, 75@82c. Corn, No. 2 cash, 40c; December, 39⅜@39½c; May, 40⅛@40¼c. Oats, No. 2 cash, 37c; December, 36⅜c; May, 37c; No. 2 white, 39c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

PITTSBURGH UNION STOCK YARDS.

Monday, Nov. 30, 1903.

STOCK ON SALE.

	Cattle	Hogs.	Sheep
B. Huff & Co.	5	9	2
B. Hedges & Co.	7	5	3
cCall, Newburn & Joyce	23	18½	2¾
. & B. Brinkman	23½	10	3½
Dyer & Co.	16	11½	3½
M. Lafferty & Co.	1	¾	1½
hio Live Stock Co.	6½	2½	½
Ziegler	5	....	....
Needy & Co.	15	4¼	1¼
Fromm	1	....	....
Muffman & Mallisee	4	....	....
Lowenstein & Co.	1	....	....
A. Schmitz & Bro.	10	....	....
S. Trauerman & Bro	4	....	....
McCaully	1	....	....
nconsigned	12	4½	....
Totals	135	75	18
Last week	130	100	22

SHIPMENTS.

	New York			Philadel'a			Locals.		
	C.	H.	S.	C.	H.	S.	C.	H.	S.
Monday	..	19	1	26	5	13	19	12	3
Tuesday	..	6	..	17	4	2	66	27	10
Wednesday	14	9	4	46	7	3	7	1	..
Thursday	3	15	5	5	4	2	14	3	1
Friday	4	15	..	11	5	3	26	4	4
Sat. and Sun.	11	26	2	5	13	7	32	10	2
Totals	32	90	12	110	38	30	164	57	20
Last week	23	88	17	72	40	45	172	91	29

SALES.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Monday	1,300	13,988	5,964
Tuesday	150	2,076	1,708
Wednesday	40	2,646	398
Thursday	7	1,569	325
Friday	....	5,338	1,068
Saturday	42	1,248	149
Totals	2,039	26,865	9,547
Last week	1,989	28,425	11,188

FREIGHT RATES.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Horses.
Boston	17	18	18	40
New York	17	18	18	30
Philadelphia	16	16	16	28
Baltimore	14	15	15	27

Cattle.

Cattle receipts were fair yesterday, 135 carloads arrived, which was five more cars than the receipts of a week ago. The market was steady and no change is noted in the quotations from those of last week. Choice, 1,400 to 1,600 lbs., $5 05@5 20; prime, 1,300 to 1,400 lbs., $4 85@5 00; good, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs., $4 50@4 80; tidy, 1,050 to 1,150 lbs., $4 10@4 25; green, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs., $3 40@3 75; fair, 900 to 1,100 lbs., $3 00@3 60; common, 700 to 800 lbs., $2 50@3 00; common to good fat bulls, $2 25@3 50; common to good fat cows, $1 35@3 50; heifers, 700 to 1,100 lbs., $3 00@3 85; good fresh cows and springers, $40 00@60 00; common, $15 00@35 00.

Sheep and Lambs.

[illegible]e market for sheep and lambs was slow [illegible]rday despite the light receipts. Only 18 [illegible] were received, which is four cars less [illegible] the receipts of last week. A slight ad[illegible]e in quotations over those of a week ago [illegible]oted. Prime wethers, 90 to 100 lbs., $4 00@[illegible]10; good mixed 85 to 90 lbs., $3 60@3 85; [illegible], 75 to 80 lbs., $3 00@3 50; culls and [illegible]mon, $1 50@2 00; choice lambs, $5 40@[illegible]; fair to good, $5 00@5 25; common, $3 00@[illegible]00; veal calves, $7 50@7 75; heavy and [illegible], $3 50@4 50.

Hogs.

[illegible]og receipts were fair yesterday and the [illegible]ket was active. Very little changes are [illegible] in the quotations from those of a week [illegible] Seventy-five double-deckers arrived yes[illegible]ay, which is 25 less than the receipts of [illegible] previous week. Prime heavy, $4 70@4 75; [illegible]ium, $4 65@4 70; heavy yorkers, $4 65@[illegible]; light yorkers, $4 65@4 70; pigs, $4 70@[illegible]; roughs, $3 00@4 25.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

[illegible]ANSAS CITY, Nov. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, [illegible] head, including 300 southerns; market [illegible]c higher; export and dressed beef steers, [illegible] higher, $4 25@4 80; fair to good, $3 00@[illegible]; western fed steers, 10@15c higher, $2 25@[illegible]; stockers and feeders, 5@10c higher, $2 60@[illegible]5; southern steers, strong, $2 60@3 15; [illegible]ern cows strong, $2 20@2 65; native cows [illegible] higher, $1 50@3 75; native heifers, 10c [illegible]r, $2 15@2 75; bulls strong, $2 00@3 25; [illegible] steady, $3 00@6 00. Hogs—Receipts, [illegible] head; market 15@20c higher; top, $4 60; [illegible] of sales, $4 47@4 60; heavy, $4 50@4 55; [illegible]rs, $4 50@4 60; pigs and light, $4 50@[illegible] Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,000 head; [illegible]t 10c higher; native lambs, $4 50@5 25; western lambs, $4 50@5 27; fed ewes, $2 75@3 75; stockers and feeders, $2 25@3 25.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Beeves, receipts, 4,524. Steers steady to a shade higher; bulls steady; thin cows, easy; fat cows, shade higher; native steers, $3 50@6 30; oxen and stags, $3 80@5 00; bulls, $2 25@4 15; cows, $1 10@3 50. Cables steady for live cattle; sheep slow. Exports, 100 cattle; tomorrow, 850 cattle; 1,728 hseep, and 3,700 quarters of beef. Calves, receipts, 2,062; veals, steady; grassers, 25c off; westerns, 50@75c lower; veals, $4 50@9 00; little calves and culls, $3 50@4 00; grassers and fed calves, $2 50@3 50; westerns, $3 25@3 50. City dressed veals 8@13½c per lb; country dresser, 5@11½c. Sheep and lambs, receipts, 16,200. Market about steady; demand fair. Sheep, $2 15@3 75; few export, sheep, $4 00; culls, $2 00; lambs, $5 00@5 90; few extra, $5 95@$6 00; culls, $3 50@4 50; Canada lambs, $5 50. Hogs, receipts, 14,644. Market 10c higher. State hogs, $4 90@5 00; pigs $5 10@5 15.

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Cattle, receipts, 27,000, including 2,000 western; best cattle strong to 10c higher; others steady. Good to prime steers, $5 20@5 95; poor to medium, $3 50@4 90; stockers and feeders, $2 00@4 10; cows, $1 50@4 00; heifers, $1 75@4 50; canners, $1 50@2 40; bulls, $1 75@4 25; calves, $2 00@6 00; Texas-fed steers, $3 00@3 75; western steers, $3 00@4 25. Hogs, receipts today, 28,000; tomorrow, 22,000; mixed and butchers, $4 35@4 70; good to choice heavy, $4 55@4 65; rough heavy, $4 35@4 70; rough heavy, $4 35@4 50; light $4 25@4 55; bulk of sales, $4 40@4 55. Sheep, receipts, 20,000. Sheep strong to 70c higher; lambs, steady to strong. Good to choice wethers, $3 75@4 25; fair to choice mixed, $3 00@3 75; native lambs, $3 50@5 80.

FLURRY IN COTTON.

Reports of Short Crops Send Bears Scurrying to Fill Contracts.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—The cotton market was excited wildly today. It was rumored that a leak had occurred in government circles, and that the census bureau's report of the cotton ginned up to the middle of this month, would indicate a total crop of only 9,250,000 bales. This took the bears completely by surprise and sent them scurrying to cover. The bears thought they had it all their own way at the opening when, an adverse Liverpool cables the market showed initial declines of from 1 to 10 points.

The whole situation changed when the Sully forces rallied to the support of the market, taking all of the offerings for short account, and absorbing the other futures which were in sight. The bulls were aided by the estimates of a New Orleans newspaper, whose figures are generally conservative, which placed the probable crop at 10,040,000 bales.

TALK OF RETIREMENT OF WABASH 6 PER CENTS

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—(Special.)—It is believed in some well-informed quarters that a plan to retire the Wabash "B" debentures is being developed. No dividend can be declared on the company's preferred stock until interest is paid on the debentures. These bonds are entitled to 6 per cent interest before dividends are possible on the company's stock. In view of the large revenues and the favorable prospects of the company, it is considered by some interests that it would be safe to exchange a 4 per cent mortgage bond in order to induce the debenture holders to surrender the extra 2 per cent they are entitled to and this would clear the way, as the property was developed for a distribution of profits on the preferred stock.

Visible Grain Supply.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The visible supply of grain Saturday, November 28, as compiled by the New York produce exchange is as follows: Wheat, 30,150,000 bushels, increase 678,000 bushels; corn, 5,887,000 bushels, decrease 249,000 bushels; oats, 9,584,000 bushels, increase 276,000 bushels; rye, 1,127,000 bushels, decrease 211,000 bushels; barley, 5,637,000 bushels, decrease 18,000 bushels.

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JAIL CAPACITY TO BE DOUBLED

Plans for a $300,000 Enlargement and Improvement Passed by Prison Board.

Improvements which will double the capacity of the Allegheny county jail and call for the expenditure of over $300,000 were decided upon yesterday at a meeting of a sub-committee of the prison board. The plans were drawn by Architect F. J. Osterling and provide for an additional wing to the jail and additions to the two present wings of the structure. All the new work is designed to conform with the original architectural scheme of the county buildings. Final decision regarding the plans will be had at a meeting of the prison board next Saturday.

With its new wing and additions the jail will be one of the most complete in the country and will have improvements which will make it practically proof against the escape of prisoners. Old brick cell partitions, hinged doors and soft iron bars will give way to an equipment of steel cells with special sanitary arrangements and washstands in each cell, saw-proof hardened steel bars, sliding doors and an immense steel cage around the entire range of cells, thus penning criminals behind four sets of doors and locks.

New quarters will be provided for the kitchen and laundry, and the women's department will be enlarged and isolated from the other corridors.

The new wing will extend in a northeasterly direction from the main corridor to High street, room being left on the latter thoroughfare for its proposed widening by the city. The wing will be 170 feet in length and will give the jail the shape of a star with a single long point like a bob-tail comet. The yard of the jail will be extended to the extreme boundaries of the property recently purchased, and a high stone wall will be built along Fifth avenue and High street.

The eastern wing will be extended 72 feet, and the north wing, which will be occupied by the women prisoners, will be constructed 70 feet beyond the present limits. There will be added 390 cells, including 84 cells for women.

At the corner of Fifth avenue and Ross street a new turret will be erected to conform with the style of architecture on the southwestern angle. The lower floor of the turret will be occupied as an additional ward in the hospital.

The sub-committee of the prison board which has the matter in charge consists of Judges James R. Macfarlane, Robert S. Frazer and Elliott Rodgers, and County Commissioner J. Carson Mercer.

DELINQUENT TAX LIST!

Office of the
Collector of Delinquent Taxes,
City Hall, Allegheny, Pa.,
November 24, 1903.

The following list of delinquent taxes unpaid at this date is hereby advertised in accordance with section 3 of the act of assembly, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled an act in relation to cities of the second class, providing for the levy and collection of a tax to pay the indebtedness of the several districts composing such cities of the second class, existing prior to the passage of the act to which this is a supplement, providing for the manner of issuing educational, school and poor warrants, and authorizing the advertisements of delinquent taxes, rates and levies, etc."

With notice to whom it may concern, that all taxes and water rents herein advertised, together with the cost of advertising, not paid on or before December 5, 1903, will be entered as liens against said property, and said property sold to satisfy said taxes, water rents and advertising.

H. M. DAVIDSON,
Collector of Delinquent Taxes.

1902 TAXES!

FIRST WARD—1902.

City, School and School Building Taxes and Water Rents.

Bell, James .... $ 30 35
Lot 20x50, cor. School and Lacock sts.
2-story frame house.

First Presbyterian Church 7 35
Lots 60x120 and 60x240, Arch st.

Daffinger, Charles A. 53 48
Lot 28x38, Lacock st.
2-story brick shop.

Getty, Mrs. Anna E. 31 68
Lot 15x50, Lacock st.
2-story brick house.

Hard, Mrs. Mary (with notice to Sarah J. Carson) 16 90
Lot 20x52, Kilbuck st.
2-story frame house.

Marshall, Thos. E. 53 39
Lot avg. 46x110, Sturgeon st.
Brick and frame shed.

Murphy, M. H. 9 49
Irregular lot, 240x30, Thomas st.

Prescott, Wm. 85 32
Lot 30x101 2-12, West Robinson st.
2-story frame house.

Swain, Mrs. Ellen 31 28
Lot 20x65, Rebecca st.
2-story frame house.

Swearingen, T. Brent (with notice to Fred L. Ihmsen, trustee) 439 04
Lot 30x143, Lincoln ave.
3-story brick house.

SECOND WARD—1902.

City, School and School Building Taxes and Water Rents.

Avery, Ella B. $119 95
Lot 20x100, No. 1513 Federal st.
2-story brick house.

Anderson, A. T. 161 48
6 lots 20x80 and 1 lot 28x80 Melrose ave.
6 3-story brick and frame houses.

Breitweiser, Martin 279 50
3 lots, 24x157, Taggart st.
2 2-story brick houses.
Store.
2 2-story frame houses.
Frame stable and shed.

Beggs, Alex E. 6 61
Lot 20x110, Harrison st.

Burke, Mrs. Ellen 176 56
Lot 20x110, 1213 Resaca place.
2-story brick mansard house.

Casper, Emma (with notice to T. R. Pittock) 10 77
2 lots, 15x100, Arlington ave.
2 2-story frame houses.

Coulter, A. C. 50 51
Lot 24x107, Irwin ave.
2-story brick house.

Coulter, A. C. 26 51
Lot 20x80, Sampson.
2-story frame house.

Deady, Johanna 7 62
Lot 25x100, Ridgewood ave.

Deady, Thomas, est. 136 86
Lot 20x110, Monterey st.
2 2-story brick houses.

Davis, David E. 16 22
Lot 40x150, Sarah st.

DeHaven, Isaac, est. 235 40
Lot 33 13 8-10 in.x68 4 5-10 in. Grant and Beech aves.
2-story brick mansard house.

Dorsey, Mrs. Elvira 2 56
Lot 20x93, Yale st.

Gray, Mrs. Margaret 83 63
2 lots, 22x66, Alpine ave.
2 2-story frame houses.
1 2½-story frame house.

Gibson, Mrs. Eliza A. 116 80
Lot 20x100, 1507 Federal st.
2-story brick house.

Haslett, Bertha M. 102 31
Lot 20x100, 1515 Federal st.
2-story brick house.

Rheumatism Neuralgia

To these two diseases probably mankind owes more suffering than to all others combined. While neither is ordinarily perilous, nevertheless Rheumatism lays the foundation for heart disease and Neuralgia leads to the morphine and opium habits. No matter how mild the case may be these troubles should never be neglected. A reliable remedy applied promptly will prevent endless pain and many sleepless nights.

Hamlins WIZARD OIL

is such a remedy. Its use will bring instant relief in all cases and final cure in the great majority. Hamlins Wizard Oil has cured thousands of people from all parts of the world. It can do the same for you.

Whitley, Tex.
I have had **Rheumatism** for ten years and was nearly helpless. I tried several remedies and found no relief. I tried Hamlins Wizard Oil and one bottle cured me. MRS. KATE BETTY.

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 1, 1900.
My mother was troubled with **Facial Neuralgia** for 13 years. She used six bottles of Hamlins Wizard Oil and it cured her. We are never without a bottle of it in the house. J. COLOWAY.

There is only one Wizard Oil—**Hamlins**—name blown in the bottle. Signature "Hamlin Bros." on wrapper. Take no substitute. **50c. and $1.00.**

Hamlins Cough Balsam
Soothes the Throat. Stops the Cough. 25c, 50c.

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Act Gently and Without Pain. 25c.

FOR SALE AND RECOMMENDED BY
ALL DRUGGISTS.

Henry, Mrs. Margaret 48 51
Lot 26x80, Taggart st.
2-story frame house.

Henderson, R. L. and Carrie H. Collins 220 22
Lot 20x100, 1223 Buena Vista st.
3-story brick and stone house.

Hood, Amelia 36 23
Lot 22x44, Arlington ave.
2-story brick house.

Ineman, Mary and Eliza 26 93
Lot 11¾x52, Taggart st.
2-story frame house.

Kelly, James W., of Mary Kelly 105 73
Lot 20x100, No. 1235 Monterey st.
2-story brick house.

Kitchen, John 16 22
Lot 40x150, Sarah st.

Leech, Sarah J., or Geo. Evans 27 29
Lot 25x102, Irwin ave.
2-story frame house.

Leggate, A., est. 12 16
Lot 25x150, Irwin ave.
Lot 25x83, Yale st.

Latimer, Mrs. A. C. 95 97
Lot 20x92, Arlington ave.
2-story brick house.

Lesnett, Mrs. C. C. 11 12
Lot 19 1-10 in.x75, Taggart st.
Lot 20 6-10 in.x77, Taggart st.
1-story frame house.

Lanahan, Mrs. Mary A. 13 31
Lot 20x124, Melrose ave.
2-story frame house.

Miller, C. H. 41 46
2 lots, 24x108, Federal st. ext.
2-story frame house.

Miller, Thomas .... $ 93 08
Lot 50x190, Federal st.
2-story frame house and store.
2-story frame house and stable.

Marshall, Jennie R., and Jessie H. 29 73
16.6x98, 958 Morrison ave.
2-story frame house.

Marton, Eliza 17 76
Lot 22x110, Kirkpatrick ave.

McMillen, James 124 51
Lot 20x83, Sampson st.
2-story brick mansard.
1-story frame house.

McCauley, Joseph A. 33 34
Lot 20x90, Perrysville ave.
2-story frame house.

McInery, Patrick 29 73
Lot 16.6x98, Morrison ave.
2-story frame house.

McCreery, Mrs. Elizabeth 26 87
Irreg. lot 520x100, Myrtle ave.

McNulty, Margaret C. (with notice to Philadelphia Saving Fund society) (water) 29 14
Lot 20x100, Beech st.
3-story brick house.

Porter, Mrs. Eliza (estate) 3 06
Lot 20x11½ ft., Ramage alley.

Pettigrew, John W. (estate) 2 56
Lot 19x30, Federal Lane.

Pears, Richard (estate) 23 13
Lot 24x80, Taggart st.
2-story frame house and stable.

Ross, Mrs. Barbara 10 14
Lot 100x90, Yale st.

Scott, Francis A. 2 03
Lot 16x50, Morrison ave.

Smith, Mrs. Maggie (No. 1) 135 87
Lot 50x92, Irwin ave.
2-story frame house and store.
1-story frame store.
1-story bldg. and frame stable.

Smith, Mrs. Maggie (No. 1) 38 90
Lot 20x100, Lithgow ave.
2-story frame house and stable.

Strong, Eliza L. 13 70
Lot 200x100, Melrose ave.

Schmidt, Geo. J. 256 72
Lot 24x120, Western ave.
2-story brick house.
Brick stable.

Spamer, C. C., and Jessie 24 35
Lot 25x90, Terrace ave.
2-story frame mansard.

Templeton, Laura J. 152 28
Lot 20x85, Arch st.
3-story brick house.

Thorpe, Chas. M. 362 86
2 lots 20x110, Irvin, Ellsworth and Dawson alley.
2 3-story brick houses.
3-story brick house.
5 3-story brick houses.

Tate, Eliza Mrs. (estate) 130 35
Lot 20x110, Palo Alto st.
2-story brick house and frame shed.

Uniondale Cemetery 380 57
2-story frame house.
2-story mansion and office.
2-story frame house.

West, Eliza 254 08
Lot 24x137, Beech and Douglass.
4 2-story brick houses.

Welble, Mary J. 136 60
Lot 20x110, No. 1308 Arch st.
2-story brick house.
2-story frame house in rear.

Wayne, Mary F. (balance) 28 25
Lot 20x110, No. 1513 Monterey st.
2-story frame house.
2-story frame house in rear.

Weaver, Samuel H. (No. 1) 133 47
Lot 20x98, 1525 Garfield ave.
2-story brick house and brick stable.

Weiss, Louisa A. 112 73
2 lots 20x183, Taggart st.
2 2-story frame houses.
1-story bldg. and stable.

White, Calvin C. 5 59
Lot 38x100, Ridgewood ave.

Weaver, Samuel H. (No. 2) 134 76
Lot 60x107, Irwin ave.
Brick shop.

West, George, and Geo. W. Wilson 221 80
Lot 20x110, No. 1215 Buena Vista st.
3-story brick and stone house.

Windsor, Mrs. A. E. (water) 10 50
Lot 42x100, lot 15x100, West End ave.
2 2-story frame houses and store.
2½-story frame house.

THIRD WARD—1902.

City, School and School Building Taxes and Water Rents.

Burk, Mrs. Ellen 64 65
Lot 40x60, Sandusky st.
2 story frame houses.

Bryne, Mary C. 41 85
Lot avg. 22 ft. 6 in. by 47, Boyle st.
2-story frame house.

Fendrick, H. N. 145 53
Lots 30x90 and 30x135, Perry st.
2-story brick house.

Hopkins, Mrs. W., et al 7 62
Lot 40x35, Fountain st.
2-story frame house.

Hemphill, Mrs. A. M. 346 77
Lot 30x112, Sandusky st.
3-story brick house.

Huckenstein, Henry (with notice to Wilhelmenia Huckenstein) 84 67
Lot 22x83, Congress st.
2 2-story brick houses.

Holdane, Louisa M. (with notice [illegible] Fred Schraeder) .... [illegible]
Lot 17 ft. 3 in. by 96, Federal [illegible]
2-story brick house.

Latimer, Alex C. .... [illegible]
Lot 20x79, Montgomery ave.
3-story brick house.

Latimer, Alex C. .... [illegible]
Lot 35x120, Knoll st.
2 2-story brick houses and 3 2-story brick houses in rear.

Meister, George 54 32
Lot 15x55, Monitor st.
3-story frame house.

Meister, George 97 18
Lot 20x90, O'Hara st.
2 2-story frame houses.

Neely, Daniel 13 11
Lot 40x50, Fountain st.

Porter, David, Hrs. 23 45
Lot 20x40, Turner alley.
Frame shanty.

Porter, David, Hrs. 159 49
Lot 27x100, Madison ave.
2-story brick house.
3 2-story brick houses in rear.

Straub, Charles L. (with notice to Mrs. Bertha G. Straub) 98 82
Lot 25x90, Perry st.
2-story brick house.

Shaefer, George 160 80
Lot 21x90, Ohio st.
2-story brick house.

Stimple, Mary Jane 46 40
Lot 22x40, Congress st.
2-story frame house.

Trustees U. P. Woman Ass'n of North America 550 37
Lots 60x240 and 30x130, Sandusky st.

Truran, Wm. 34 12
Lot 20x90, Donloe st.
3-story frame house.

Wherthey, Owen, est. 28 84
Lot 30x40, Henderson st.
2-story frame house.

Werner, Annie (with notice to Raymund Mueller) 40 59
Lot 20x58, Madison ave.
2-story brick house.

FOURTH WARD—1902.

City, School and School Building Taxes and Water Rents.

Andrews, John (with notice to Allegheny General Hospital) .... $ 24 94
Lot 20x77, Sandusky st.
3-story frame house.

Bell, Thomas (with notice to H. F. McGrady) 409 54
3 lots 20x100 and 40x100 and 20x100, Lacock st. and Goodrich st.
4 2½-story brick houses and 2 2-story brick houses.
2 2-story brick and frame houses.

Bassett, Agnes 20 13
Lot 21x33, Robinson st.
2-story brick house.

Donehue, E. M. 37 40
Lot 21x60, Post alley.
2-story brick house.

Gibson, W., heirs 7 62
Lot 22x50, Cairo alley.
2-story frame house.

Lappe, Mrs. Kitty, wife of C. O. Lappe 100 97
Lot 16.75x68.75, Ohio st.
3-story brick house.

McFadden, Wm., est. 45 07
Lot 16x82, Morgan st.
2-story brick house.

Prescott, William 66 71
Lot 16 ft. 6 in. by 88, Isabella st.
3-story brick house.

Roeder, Peter 103 78
Lot 16 ft. 6 in. by 76 ft. 11 in.
2-story brick house and stable.

Roeder, Peter 81 67
Lot 19 ft. 8 in. by 76 ft. 11 in., 265 Lacock st.
2-story brick house.
2-story frame house.

Swiss Society and Real Est. Co. 276 42
Lot 50x173, Church ave.
2-story brick club house.

Tate, Eliza A., est. 217 01
Lot 34x90, Sandusky st.
4 2-story brick houses.

Vogel, Frank, Co. 372 58
Lots 55x130 and 22 ft. 6 in. by 128, South Canal.
3-story brick factory, 2-story brick warehouse, buildings and machinery.

FIFTH WARD—1902.

City, School and School Building Taxes and Water Rents.

Brown, Matilda .... $ 83 55
Lot 19 ft. 6 in. by 125, Miller st.
2-story frame house and 1-story frame store.

Boyd, Mrs. E. M. 115 13
Lot 20x105, Locust st.
2-story brick house and 1-story frame playhouse.

Bothwell, Mrs. Anna 176 22
Lot 47 ft. 4 in. by 132, Page st.
2 2-story brick houses and stable.

Coulter, Cyrus 46 48
Lot 24x90, Greenwood st.
2-story frame house.

Delthenmiller, Daniel (with notice to Wm. Delthenmiller) 93 44
Lot 20x130, Western ave.
2 2-story frame houses.

DeRoy, Johanna 269 03
Lot 35x138, Sheffield st.
2-story brick house and 2-story brick stable.

Miller, Gibson W. 27 53
Lot 21x132, Page st.
2-story frame house.

Patterson, W. W. 25 90
Lot 48x130, Locust st.
2-story brick house, 2-story brick mansard and brick stable.

Quigg, Mrs. Eliza 83 21
Lot 20x110, Rebecca st.
2 2-story frame houses.

Riley, Mary W. 30 87
Lot 13.1x44, Kentucky ave.
2-story frame house.

Ryan, Mrs. Catherine (with notice to Clarence Pettit) 12 34
Lot 20x58, Hamlin st.
2-story frame house.

Wiley, Mrs. R., est. 111 75
Lot 24x130, Pennsylvania ave.
2-story brick house and 1-story frame shed.

Wise, Theo. H. A. 160 84
Lot 30x90, Cabinet st.
2-story brick mansard.

Wyland, George A. 189 74
Lot 40x124, Fayette st.
2-story brick mansard.

Wilson, Wilson C. 11 82
Lot 40x79 ft. 3 in., Chartiers st.
1-story brick house.

SIXTH WARD—1902.

City, School and School Building Taxes and Water Rents.

Bender, John $165 29
Lot 22x125, No. 1616 Beaver ave.
2½-story brick house.

Beatty, Edward, No. 1 .... 90 65
Lot 24x130, Washington ave.
3 2-story frame houses, 4 2-story brick houses.

Beatty, Edward, No. 2 .... 43 64
Lot 36 ft. ¾ in. by 130, Juniata st.
2 2-story frame houses.

Beatty, Edward, No. 3 .... 34 24
Lot 40x140, Nixon st.
2 2-story frame houses.

Frazier, H. B. (with notice to Fidelity Title and Trust Co) 29 44
Lot 31x31, No. 1606 Sedgwick st.
2-story frame house.

Frasher, Lee 3 56
Lot 23 ft. 5 in. by 132, Sumner st.

Fearnley, Mrs. E. (water) 21 52
Lot 16x56, No. 1208 Washington ave.
2-story frame house.

Fearnley, Mrs. E. (water) 36 75
Lot 55 ft. 5 in. by 100, Deleware st.
4 2-story brick houses.

Fearnley, Mrs. E. (water) 54 08
Lot 60x125, Beaver ave. and Juniata st.
5 frame houses and store.

Knickler, Henrietta 84 36
Lot 32 ft. 2 in. by 47, Bidwell st.
2-story brick house.

Landgraff, Henry (with notice to Miller Brothers) 65 13
Lot 24x98, 1300 Adams st.
2 2-story frame houses.

Leitch, Mrs. B. F. 105 53
Lot 24x130, 1121 Franklin st.
2-story brick house.

Leslie, John 8 11
Lot 16 ft. 8 in. by 55, Hudson st.

Marshall, Chas. F. 251 61
2 lots 24x130, No. 1318 Juniata st.
2 2-story frame houses, 2 frame stables.

McAndrews, Mrs. Margeret 34 41
Lot 20x110, Brady st.
2-story brick house.

Parkhill, John 41 06
Lot 24x170, Locust st.
2-story frame house.

Rohner, John 70 61
Lot 19x65, Franklin st.
2-story brick house.

Thompson, Alfred 94 97
Lot 18x130, Franklin st.
2 2-story frame houses.

White, W. P. 121 59
Lot 64 ft. 10½ in. by 100, Chartiers st.

SEVENTH WARD—1902.

City, School and School Building Taxes and Water Rents.

Beckert, Edw. .... $ 91 66
Lot 22x125, Iten and Vista.
2 2-story frame houses.

Dahlinger, H. L. 75 47
Lot 33.99x100, Spring Garden ave.
2-story brick house.

Hammer, Mrs. N. B. 6 33
Lot 44x70, High st.

Hockrein, Mary (with notice to Joseph Hockrein) 33 18
Lot 22x111, Spring Garden ave.
[illegible]-story frame house.

[illegible] August 86 24
[illegible] 6 in. by 114, Spring [illegible] ave.
[illegible] frame slaughter house.
[illegible] house and stable.
2-story brick stable.

Platz, Anthony 31 66
Lot [illegible], Tell st.
1½-story frame house.

Roeder, Peter 110 97
Lot 50x100, Villa st.
3 2-story frame houses and slaughter house.

Schneider, Mrs. Catherine 18 85
Lot 20x115, Diana st.
1-story frame house.

Schmitdiel, John, est. (with notice to Karl Yesse et ux) 10 54
Lot 25x160, Filbert st.

Shirk est. (with notice to Safe Deposit and Trust Co.) 3 18
Tri. lot, Iten st.

Wickline, Oliver 30 56
Lot 31x90, Wickline lane.
2-story frame house.

EIGHTH WARD—1902.

City, School and School Building Taxes and Water Rents.

Frederick, Henry M. (with notice to Teutonia Insurance Co.) .... $ 77 91
1 lot 20.18x111.89, Ohio st.
1 lot 20.20x103, Ohio st.

Marsula, Mazzo 27 99
Lot 20x170, Ohio st., No. 1526.
2-story frame house.

Pittsburgh Provision & Packing Co. 391 92
17½ acres, 73 perches.
1 lot 207x175, Herrs island.
1 lot 208x165, Herrs island.
8 acres, Herrs island.
2½-story brick stable and storage house.
3-story brick and frame abbatoir and smokehouse.
3½-story brick bone factory.

NINTH WARD—1902.

City, School and School Building Taxes and Water Rents.

Fearnley, Mrs. E. J. $258 42
Lot 65x120, Island ave.
9 2-story frame houses.

Hartman, Chas. H. 53 18
Lot 33x125, Preble ave.
2-story brick house.

Lufkovitz, Benj. and Lawrence, Henry 19 17
Lot 20x100, 637 Preble ave.
2-story frame house.

Lufkovitz, Benj. and Lawrence, Henry 19 17
Lot 20.01x101.09, 642 Preble ave.
2-story frame and brick building.
Stable.

Richards, Mrs. Annie 175 41
2 lots 24x124, Ontario and Sterling.
6 2-story frame houses.

Schmidt, Geo. J. 410 44
1½ acres land, Preble ave.
Brick office.

Woods, Mrs. Carrie (with notice to Mrs. Mina Craine) 7 62
Lot 20x113, Kerr st.
Shanty and building.

TENTH WARD—1902.

City, School and School Building Taxes and Water Rents.

Andrews, Harry L. .... $ 86 09
Irregular lot, 40x126.108, McIntyre ave.
2½-story frame house.

Anderson, A. T. 173 10
Lot 70x77, Sarah st.
Lot 24x80, Sarah st.
2-story double brick house.
2-story frame house in rear.

Anderson, H. F. 13 39
Lot 20x90, Charles st.
2-story frame house.

Bevans, Mary 4 38
Lot 20x120, Annie st.

Brietweiser, M. 1 11
Lot 20x76, Sarah st.

Bissell, Mary H. 20 03
Lot 20x100, E. End ave.
2-story frame house.

Bowman, Ida M. 65 35
Lot 50x170, Euclid ave.
2-story frame house.

Bingler, Mary E. 20 74
Lot 25x150, Ellis ave.
2-story frame mansard.

Cullen, Thos. J., Wm. and Ellen 99 60
2 lots 24x90, Charles st.
2-story frame mansard.

Chase, Mrs. Mary 6 53
Lot 20x125, Annie st.
Frame house.

Carey, Mrs. Sarah W. 4 37
Lot 20x115, Virginia ave.

Crawford, James 4 37
Lot 20x190, Harriett st.

Clark, George B. 8 74
Lot 24x150, Highland ave.

Clarke, Charles M. 92 64
Lot 15x70, Sarah st.
2-story frame house.
2½-story frame house.

Douglass, Jno. 4 37
Lot 20x125, Annie st.

Donavon, James 69 26
Lot 24x88, Charles st.
2-story frame house.

Dorsey, Harriett 20 93
Lot 20x57, Montrose ave.
2-story frame house.

Dietz, Conrad 4 20
Lot 20x73, East st.
2½-story frame house.

Freeman, Alex. 2 75
Lot 21x215, Harriett st.

Flockerzy, Jacob 3 83
Lot 20x175, Harriett st.

Farrell, Sarah 138 30
Lot 20.76x235, Charles st.
2-story frame mansard and store.

Falck, Chas. to Max Able 3 55
Lot 25x150, Shelton ave.

Frederick, W. H. 4 47
Lot 25x115, S. End ave.
2-story frame house.

Hough, Mrs. Tillie 8 74
Lot 20.8½x220, Charles st.

Hirsh, Nathan 6 02
Lot 25x105, Lafayette st.

Hunter, Loyal C. 6 56
Lot 25x100, Osgood st.

Iron City and Harmarville Improvement Co. 7 11
Lot 20x100, Clifton ave.

Kramer, Fred W. 40 88
Lot 30x105, East street.
2-story frame house.

Knauer, Christ 66 49
Lot 35x120, McIntyre ave.
2½-story frame house.
1-story stable.

Konter, Michael 2 19
Lot 40x80, Suffolk st.

Kreiling, Mrs. Eliza, No. 1 (with notice to Chas. Deed 39 87
1 lot 20x70, Sarah st.
2 lots 20x72, Sarah st.
6 lots 20x80, Sarah st.
7 lots 20x80, Sarah st.
1 lot 10x80, Sarah st.
1 lot 125x80, Sarah st.

Little, Andrew 2 19
Lot 20x95, Milroy ave.

Mahoney, Mrs. S. 30 40
Lot 20x75, East st.
Lot 20x74, East st.
1½-story frame house.

Mulasky, Patrick (with notice to W. S. Craig 27 58
Lot 20x100, Harlan ave.
2-story frame house.

McCreesy, John 11 45
Irreg. lot 16x140, Harlan ave.
1½-story frame house.

Nable, Edward 1 65
Lot 20x100, Barris st.

Pittsburgh Homestead Loan and Trust Co. 67 31
Lot 50x115, Osgood st.
2-story frame house.

Robinson, Jeremiah 35 09
Lot 20x175, Harriett st.
2½-story frame house.

Ryan, Hannah 6 02
Lot 20x110, Virginia ave.

Reeber, E. E. (with notice to Mrs. Margaret Barr) 38 22
Lot 22x154, Seminole st.
2-story frame house.

Stimple, Chas. A. 63 68
2 lots 25x133, East st.
Lot 45x140, East st.
2¼-story frame house.

Stimple, Mary J. 80 64
2 lots 20x105, East st.
2-story frame hall.

Saulters, Thoms G. 71 18
Lot 30x50, Clifton ave.
2-story frame mansard house.

Shaw, W. K. 26 52
Lot 20x115, Sheridan ave.
2-story frame house.
1-story frame house.

Sadler, Silas P. and Wm. G. Evans 10 77
9 lots 20x100, Charles st.
2-story stone and brick houses.
1-story shed.
Hall.

Uniondale Cemetery 90 96
Marshall ave.
3 2-story frame houses.
2 2-story frame stables.
2-story brick house.
2-story frame boiler house.
1-story frame engine house.

Wadle, Jacob 2 19
Lot 23x92, Maple ave.

Williams, Frederick 10 28
Tri. lot 21x92, W. Jefferson st.
1-story frame meat shop.

Wills, John, est. 36 21
Lot 25x141, Virginia ave.
2½-story frame house.

Zellar, Carl 4 37
Lot 25x200, Milroy ave.

ELEVENTH WARD—1902.

City, School and School Building Taxes and Water Rents.

Ainsworth, Westly M. .... $ 20 02
Lot 20x77, Geyer ave.
2-story frame house.

Bean, Orin H. 62 05
25x207, Woodland ave.
2-story frame mansard.
1½-story frame house.

Breisch, Jacob (balance) 9 73
2 lots 20x100, Shady ave.
1½-story frame house.

Bear, David (with notice to Morrison Foster) 6 24
1 lot 26.80x75.86, Clifford st.
1 lot 24x75.97, Clifford st.
1 lot 24x76.14, Clifford st.
1 lot 24x76.32, Clifford st.
1 lot 24x76.49, Clifford st.

Rok, Andro 33 63
Lot 25x85, McClure ave.
2-story frame house and stable.

Carey, John 28 91
Lot 25x141, Woods Run ave.
1½-story frame house.

Cruikshank, Mrs. Annie E. 131 12
3 lots 20x107, California ave.
2-story frame mansard.
2 2-story frame houses.

Donavon, Patrick 20 66
Lot 24x115, Frederick st.
1½-story frame house.

Donahue, James 8 61
Lot 25x115.

Ellison, J. E. 4 06
1 lot 60x25, Lecky ave.
1 lot 60x20, Lecky ave.

Finn, Edw. M. 38 01
1 lot 45x125, Michigan ave.
1 lot 45x125, Michigan ave.
1 lot 40x125, Michigan ave.

Fenner, Wilhemina 79 28
Lot 50x140, Eckart st.
Lot 22x174.7½ 12, Eckart st.
3 1½-story frame houses.
1-story frame house.
2-story frame house.

Foreman, John (with notice to John and Jane Foreman) 58 67
2 lots 20x120, Richardson st.
3 2-story frame houses.

Fearnley, Mrs. Minnie M. 79 27
4 lots 24x96, Bacob.
2-story frame house.

Fearnley, Mrs. Minnie M. 64 54
3 lots 24x98, Rose.
1 lot Tri. 64, Rose.
1 lot 24x68, Rose.
1 lot 24x80, Rose.
New house, 1902, 2½-story frame.

Geilbach, Charles 3 56
Lot 20x120, Courtland ave.

Girty, E. C. 6 08
Lot 90x150, Jacks Run.

Graham, Harry L. 100 00
1 lot 20x90, McCook st.
2-story brick mansard.
2 2-story frame houses.

Gibson, Evans L. 38 00
Lot 25x120, Marshall ave.
2 2-story frame houses.

Gould, Carolina (with notice to Jno. W. Davis) 19 48
Lot 22x123-119 3½-12, California ave.
2-story frame house.

Hannon, Thomas F. 10 66
1 lot 45x115, Williams st.
1 lot 24x115, Williams st.

Hough, Ruth A. 110 94
¾ acres land, Superior st.
2-story frame house and stable.

Henderson, Jacob and Louisa 14 69
Lot 24x115, Frederick st.
2-story frame house.

Hagerty, Charles 18 87
Lot 25x115, Frederick st.
2½-story frame house.

Jones, Edward 8 11
Lot 25x150, Gass ave.

Jelsavsky, Stephen 2 03
Tri. lot 87.2x42.53x97.2, Lapish Road.

King, Mrs. Eliza (wife of A. O. King) 53 18
Irreg. lot 25x79.87, 53.96, Woodland ave.
2-story frame house.

Lucas, Jacob 32 81
Lot 20x107, McClure ave.
2-story frame house.

Moore, Mrs. Alice F. 100 10
1 lot 20x100, Stayton and Williams.
1 lot 20x105, Stayton and Williams.
1 lot 20x107, Stayton and Williams.
1 lot 4x107, Stayton and Williams.
3 2½-story frame houses.

Madge, William 33 25
Lot 23x146, Woods Run ave.
2½-story frame house.
1½-story frame house.

Richard, Millard 240 66
Goss and McClure.

Millard, Richard 132 08
1 lot 110x285, Goss ave.
1 lot 25x125, Goss ave.
2 2-story frame houses.

Millard, Richard 41 72
Lot 53.58x129.19x145.13, Shady ave.
2-story frame house and stable.

Millard, Richard 66 87
Irreg. lot 59x85, McClure ave.
2 2-story frame houses.

Myers, Jno. C. 13 70
Lot 50x100, Atlantic ave.

Murphy, Michael 66 94
Lot 25x120, Fleming ave.
2-story frame house.
2½-story frame house.

Moore, Brady W. 52 68
Lot 25.37x53.93, Woodland ave.
2-story frame house.

Marshall, Mark W. 2 06
Tri. lot, California ave.

Morrow, Amanda L. (with notice to B. F. Duncan) 14 44
Lot 24x141, Terrace place.
2-story frame mansard.

McCann, Miss Mary 8 11
Lot 40x130, Hiawatha st.

McAleer, Bertha M. 3 56
Lot 25x83.50, Shady.

McAleer, Bertha M. 4 06
Lot 94.78x28, Beckert st.

McAndrews, John 16 03
Lot 24x110, Marshall ave.
2½-story frame house.

McAndrews, John 50 57
Lot 25x140, California ave.
3-story brick house.

Navinskey, Jacob 33 20
Lot 20x100, Hariman st.
2-story frame house.

Parker, Maria A. 2 03
Lot 20x65, Verner road.
Lot irreg. 55x85, Verner road.

Payton, Andrew A. 147 65
Lot 46x151, Shady ave.
3 2-story frame houses.

Payton, Andrew A. 146 35
Lot 46x100, Caldwell st.
8 2-story frame houses.

Patrick, Joseph 16 08
Lot 24x115, Frederick st.
2-story frame house.

Petty, John M. 193 61
Lot 134.07, 78.64, 91.21, 297.37, 242.48, Superior st.
Lot 78.64x297.37, Superior st.
Lot 91.21x242.98, Superior st.

Poschman, Jeanette 54 65
Lot 24x70, Woodland terrace.

Quinn, John 18 63
Lot 22x120, Stayton ave.
2-story frame house.

Rahn, Hattie (with notice to George Stewart) 42 40
2 lots, 24x78, California ave.
2 2-story frame houses.

Robinson, James H. 29 12
Lot 25x75, Rose.
Lot 27x80, Rose.
3-story frame house.

Richards, Owen L. 68 45
Lot 32x107, Stayton ave.
2 lots 20x107, Stayton ave.
3 2½-story frame houses.

Sieffert, Edw. A. 10 66
Lot 25, 25, 84.16, 83.94, Shady and Beckert.
Lot 25x83.94, Shady and Beckert.
Lot 95.75x32.6, Shady and Beckert.
Lot 94x31.5, Shady and Beckert.

Sieffert, Oscar J. (with notice to Michael Lutz 4 06
Lot 95x315, Becker st.
Lot 94.95, 315x30.25, Becker street.

Sieffert, Wm. A. 16 74
Lot 25x140, Shady and Becker.
Lot 108x28, Shady and Becker.
Lot 108, 102, 28, 27.7, Shady and Becker.
Lot 25, 25, 84.16, 83.94, Shady and Beckert.

Seaman, George M. 107 47
Lot 48x202, Winthrop st.
2½-story brick house.
1-story frame stable.

Scott, William L. (with notice to Mrs. Kate C. Boyle) 42 05
Lot 25x120.
2 2½-story frame houses.
2 2-story frame houses.

Somers, Chas. 45 62
23 lots, 27x50, Bismark st.
18 lots, 52x59, Bismark st.
1 lot, 140x56, Bismark st.
1 lot, 204x85, Bismark st.
1 lot, 58x150, Bismark st.
1 lot, 25x135, Bismark st.
1 lot, 25x125, Bismark st.
1 lot, 25x120, Bismark st.
1 lot, 25x115, Bismark st.
1-story frame shanty.

Schlick, J. M. (with notice to August Huber, water) 19 17
4 lots 24x87, Brighton rd.
2-story frame house.

Trustees Prot. Episcopal church 24 32
Irreg. lot 60x160, California ave.

The Safe Deposit and Trust Co. 10 67
2 lots, 24x115, Williams st.

Williams, Lillie M. 25 87
Lot 24x93, Rose ave.
Lot 24x91, Rose ave.
Lot 24x86, Rose ave.
Lot 24x80, Rose ave.
Lot 24x95, Rose ave.
Lot 24x84, Rose ave.
Lot 24x85, Rose ave.
Lot 24x78, Rose ave.
Lot 24x99, Rose ave.
Lot 24x76, Rose ave.
Lot 24x83, Rose ave.

Woelfel (Lawrence No. 2) 2 56
Tri. lot, McClure ave.

White, Alelina 2 03
Lot 16x80' 6", Woodland terrace.

White, Mary J. 47 23
Lot 20x80, Thompson st.
2½-story frame house.

CAMPBELL'S

Christmas Offerings.

LONGER SHOPPING HOURS

During December, for the accommodation of holiday shoppers, our store will remain open till 6 P. M. After Xmas the 5:30 closing hour will be resumed.

MOTHER GOOSE PAINT BOOKS. A large, substantially bound book of 105 pages, with a "Mother Goose" theme pictured in outline on every page ready for filling in with colors. Pictures accompanied by the words. With each book goes a set of water color paints and a long-handled brush. These $1.25 novelty books we will sell for **69c**

CHOOSE FROM 300 ROCKERS. We go heavy on Chairs and Rockers for Christmas gifts. We give you a chance to choose from many styles, in quartered golden oak and mahogany with hand-polish finish, wood or leather seats, medium and low backs and comfortable shaped arms. Best rockers in Allegheny County for **$6**

THE RICHNESS OF LUSTROUS FUR. Who is the woman that receives the most glances of interest and admiration in the street car? The one who wears the finest furs. You can get a lot of glory for $15 by buying at our store this week one of the Isabella or Sable Fox Boas, 38 inches long, with two large brushes, whose beauty causes customers to go into ecstacies. 'Twill be a pleasure to show them to you.

BUY DOLLS VERY EARLY. Don't wait until the assortments are broken before starting in to choose things for the children. Bisque dolls with frock and cap to match (very pretty ones of the 25c grade) for. **19c**

DRESS A DOLL FOR SOMEONE. Genuine "Kessner" dolls, cork stuffed, with jointed hips, knees and arms, movable eyes, dark or blonde hair, shoes and stockings—13-inch dolls that usually sell for 50c — Special at **39c**

Just a few things mentioned this morning as a sort of appetizer. Thousands of others at our store today.

BOOK CATALOGUE
A Comprehensive Finding List with prices to help you make selections from our 25,000 Holiday Books will be out Today. Shall we mail you one? FREE for the asking, of course.

SEE YOURSELF THREE TIMES. Brass frame Triplicate Mirrors, leatherette backs, inlaid with medallions and a brass hanging-chain. Each section 6½x9 inches. Special price **89c**

GOLD RINGS
Twenty trays full of solid gold shell rings, warranted for five years, go on sale right away
at **25c** at **50c** at **$1.00**
Some are plain—some chased—some set with splendid imitations of real gems. You can get all sorts of satisfaction out of them without the fear of loss which is the drawback of the very expensive rings these duplicate so successfully. Ladies' and children's sizes.

5c LINE OF HANDKERCHIEFS Astounding what a car fare will buy at our Handkerchief Counter this week. Twenty-five styles of ladies' Fancy Handkerchiefs, some hemstitched, some double hemstitched, some with embroidered corners, some with lace corners and some tucked—only **5c**

SCRAP BASKETS HAVE MANY USES You need one in the sewing room, in the library, in your bedroom and in the nursery as a catch-all for litter. Some fancy ones in reds, blues and greens. Same kind that were 35c last season we will sell this week for **25c**

EVERY CHILD SHOULD HAVE ONE Let your little one have a Knife, Fork and Spoon Set of his own—something just right in size for the smaller fingers to handle. We will sell this week about one hundred children's Silver-plated Three-piece Sets, in neat boxes, for **25c**

THIS $1 TOILET SET WILL BE ONLY 75c We believe now we bought too many Comb and Brush Sets of a certain type to retail for $1. They are fine imitations of genuine ebony, silver-mounted, with sterling silver name plate on the backs of both brush and comb. We will make a special of them this week at **75c**

OUR $1 LINE OF LADIES' BAGS Something any store would be proud of. Automobile and Wrist Bags in such a variety of leathers, sizes, shapes and colors, with nickeled tops, gilt tops, chains and leather handles, some fitted with card case and coin purse, and some with inside frames, that the dollars will keep up a constant jingle at this counter.

TWELFTH WARD—1902.

City, School and School Building Taxes and Water Rents.

Bell and Wier 1 64
Lot 24x50, Callin st.

Brust, Peter 22 30
Lot 40x80, Sandusky st.
2½-story frame house.

Curran, James (Water) 7 62
Lot 120x220, East st.
2-story frame house.

Dawson, Lena Mary 63 74
Lot 30x75, Meade st.
2½-story frame house.
2½-story frame house.
Frame house.

Ebbert, Lousa A. 40 15
Lot 16x80, Bell ave.
2-story frame house and store.

Freeman, Alexander 15 85
Lot 23x53, Compromise st.

Frey, Mrs. Annie 86 99
Lot 59x110, Haslage st.
Lot 21x110, Haslage st.
2-story frame house.
1-story brick shop.

Frey, Henry J. 113 50
2 lots, 24x100, Haslage ave.
2 2½-story frame houses, engine and machinery.
1-story frame shed.

Frank, Anna (water) 14 44
Lot 22x110, Howard st.
2-story frame house.

Goe 10 77
5½ acres land, Haslage ave.
Frame house.
Stables.

Het 55 07
Lot 22x100, 1537 Howard st.
3-story frame house.

Henderson, R. L. 8 64
4 lots 25x85, Spring ave., Nos. 128, 129, 130 and 131.

Henderson, R. L. 35 07
Waterman st. lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 20x208; No. 4, 20x159; No. 5, 20x120; No. 6, 20x82; No. 7, 50x82.
Wampum st. lots Nos. 48, 49, 50, 51, 20x80; No. 52, 34x80.
Warren st. lots, No. 53, 20x139; No. 54, 26x128; No. 55, 20x118.

Henderson, R. L. 3 25
Spring ave. lots No. 117, 25x60; No. 118, 25x45; No. 119, 25x60; No. 120, 25x77.

Hammer, J. B. (City owner) 2 17
Lot 25x90, Iten st.

Kratt, Henry F. (with notice to Henry J. Frey) 8 64
Lot 24x110, Haslage ave.

Klopfer, Mrs. Anna 161 64
Tri. lot 43x226, Goehring ave.
Lot 111x187, Goehring ave.
2-story brick house.
1-story frame greenhouse and outbuildings.

Kinlein, Rosina (water) 6 04
Lot 20x150, Solar st.
2-story frame house.

Lynch, Rose Anna 1 64
Lot 24x120, Quarry st.

Lutz, Christ 22 50
Lot 24x115, Solar st.
1½-story frame house.

Marshall, Thos. 49 20
Lot 25x115, Carrie st.
2½-story frame house.

Murphy, John 7 03
Lot 24x80, Bell ave.

Marshall, Arthur B. (with notice to Sarah B. Ebbert 22 99
Lot 20x80, Bell ave.
2-story frame house.

Nau, Catherine 28 52
Lot 33x120, Howard st.
Shanty and shop.

Otto, Fred 1 64
Lot 24x150, Quarry st.

Porzell, Chas., et al. 150 80
Lot 2, 43x100, Keyser st.
Lots 3 to 10, 24x100, Keyser st.
Lot 11, 24x92, Keyser st.
Lot 12, 25x85, Keyser st.
Lots 13 to 25, 24x75, Keyser st.
2 2-story frame houses.

Porzell, Chas., et al. 20 50
Lot 26, 24x183, Waldo st.
Lot 27, 24x178, Waldo st.
Lot 28, 24x173, Waldo st.
Lot 29, 24x168, Waldo st.
Lot 30, 24x162, Waldo st.
Lot 31, 24x157, Waldo st.
Lot 32, 24x152, Waldo st.

Porzell, Chas., et al. 28 60
Lot 33, 24x147, Coleman st.
Lot 34, 24x136, Coleman st.
Lot 35, 24x131, Coleman st.
Lot 36, 24x126, Coleman st.
Lot 37, 24x126, Coleman st.
Lot 38, 24x86, Coleman st.
Lot 39, 32x126, Coleman st.
Lot 40, 121x71, Coleman st.

Porzell, Chas., et al. 41 53
Lot 41, 24x141, Haslage ave.
Lot 42, 24x148, Haslage ave.
Lot 43, 24x117, Haslage ave.
Lot 44, 24x91, Haslage ave.
Lot 45, 61x65, Haslage ave.
Lot 51, 24x70, Haslage ave.
Lot 52, 24x73, Haslage ave.
Lot 53, 40x77, Haslage ave.

Ries, Mary F. 80 95
Lot 23x120, Warren st.
3-story brick house.
2-story frame house.

Shirk Heirs 5 96
Lot 56, Bluff st.
Lot 26x80.

Schaefer, Chas. 213 65
Lot 25x150, East st.
Lot 25x40, East st.
Frame and brick house.
2-story frame mansard house.
Stable.

Schillito, John 1 10
Lot 24x40, Quarry st.

Spangenberg, Mrs. Eliza 17 25
Lot 20x147, Fountain st.
2-story frame house.

Taggart, Nancy J. 78 82
Lot 27.8x75, East st.
2-story brick house.

Werner, John 22 24
Lot 22x124, Vista st.
2-story frame mansard house.

Watson, Mary H. 8 64
Lot 20x87, Wampum st.
2 lots 20x86, Wampum st.
Lot 20x84, Wampum st.

Watson, Mary H. 6 46
Lot 88.42x59.34, Compromise st.
Lot 25x59, Compromise st.
Lot 20x73, Compromise st.
Lot 20x87, Compromise st.
Lot 20x101, Compromise st.
Lot 20x115, Compromise st.
Lot 20x120, Compromise st.

Watson, Mary H. 7 03
Lot 20x127, Spring and Wigwam sts.
Lot 20x115, Spring and Wigwam sts.
Lot 20x103, Spring and Wigwam sts.
Lot 20x91, Spring and Wigwam sts.
Lot 20x70, Spring and Wigwam sts.
Lot 15x70, Spring and Wigwam sts.
Lot 20x126, Spring and Wigwam sts.
Lot 20x125, Spring and Wigwam sts.

Watson, Mary H. 24 83
Lot 27x89, Warren and Wampum sts.
2 lots 20x89, Warren and Wampum sts.
2 lots 20x100, Warren and Wampum sts.
Lot 27x100, Warren and Wampum sts.

Watson, Mary H. 23 21
4 lots 20x100, Warren st.

Watson, Mary H. 8 64
Lot 20x75, Ella st.
Lot 20x82, Ella st.
Lot 20x86, Ella st.
Lot 20x89, Ella st.

Watson, Mary H. 5 93
3 lots 20x86, Spring st.
Lot 20x87, Spring st.

Watson, Mary H. 1 24
Lot 25x115, Carrie st.
1½-story frame house.

Watson, Mary H. 11 86
3 lots, 25x85, Henderson st.

Watson, Mary H. 3 75
Lot 20x93, Spring ave.
Lot 20x92, Spring ave.
Lot 20x91, Spring ave.
Lot 20x90, Spring ave.
Lot 20x89, Spring ave.
Lot 20x84, Spring ave.
Lot 20x76, Spring ave.
Lot 20x73, Spring ave.
Lot 20x70, Spring ave.
Lot 20x68, Spring ave.
Lot 20x65, Spring ave.
Lot 20x63, Spring ave.
Lot 20x62, Spring ave.
Lot 122x50, Spring ave.

Wiseman, Jno. (with notice to Jno. Hough) 11 69
Hill st.

THIRTEENTH WARD—1902.

City, School and School Building Taxes and Water Rents.

Brannon, Annie .... $ 3 13
Lot 60x120, Hoff st.

Bechtel, Isaac K. 51 75
Lot 16.2x90, Lowry st.
2-story frame house and 2½-story frame house.

Central Turnverein of Pittsburgh 1 58
Lot 60x60, Ohio st.

Mott, Barbar 2 62
Lot 43x80, Ohio st.

Schaub, John 4 16
Lot 376x60, Ohio st.

Schneider, Annie M. 29 24
Lot 33x42, Herman st.
1-story frame mansard.

Weisback, John 32 33
Lot 22x80, Elbow st.
2-story frame house.

FOURTEENTH WARD—1902.

City, School and School Building Taxes and Water Rents.

Barton, John 13 14
Lot 47x305x316, East st.

Beck, Albritina 1 91
Lot 30x100, Reserve

Building & Loan Association "Triumph" 66
Tri. lot, Bessie ave.

Campbell, Joseph B. 15 90
Lot 50x268x303, East st.

Daum, Geo. J. 6 89
Lot 25x116, Robinson Road.

Ditzel, Fred (with notice to Gustav. A. Baeder) 11 73
Irregular lot 28.57, 29, 110, 121.79.

Fuchs, M. A. 52 48
4 acres, Evergreen road.

Graner, Geo. L. 6 20
Lot 40x50, Luella st.
1-story frame shop.

Helbling, Mrs. John 171 17
Lot 231x473x437, East st.
4 2-story frame houses.
Stable.

Helbling, Mrs. John 38 36
Lot 38x115, Royal st.
2-story frame house and store.
2-story frame house and stable.

Helbling, Mrs. John 48 93
Lot averaging 25x48, East st.
2-story frame mansard.

Harbert, John 3 76
Lot 25x132, Locust st.

Joehne, William F. 39 80
2 lots 24x125, East st.
2½-story frame house and store.
Frame stable.

Kanz, Elizabeth 80 26
Lot 50x258x268.
2 2½-story frame houses and store.

Kuehn, Peter 4 90
Lot 90x40, East st.
Lot 51x20, East st.

Micholaski, August 7 50
2 lots 20x112, Royal st.

McGraw, Barney 24 62
Lot 25x300x305, East st.
2-story frame house.

Nusbaum, Clara (water) 30 45
4 lots 25x111.25, Royal st.
4 1½-story frame houses.

Watson, C. J. et. al. 3 14
Notice to Fidelity Title & Trust Co.
Irreg. lot 74.5, 235, 438, 226, East st.

Wilhelm, J. W. 5 60
2 lots 22x100, Hope st.

Ziee, Francis 1 26
Lot 20x64, Royal st.

FIFTEENTH WARD—1902.

City, School and School Building Taxes and Water Rents.

Addy, Luella (with notice to L. E. Huseman .... $ 70 25
Lot 18.2x230.

Blair, Reed F. 2 94
Lot 50x117, Watson blvd.

Beck, Jacob 30 65
3 lots 25x94, Duquesne ave.
2½-story frame house.

Dehaven, Mrs. Theo. (with notice to C. H. W. Kruck) 26 61
Lot 30x130, Hall st.
2-story frame house.

Elk, James 2 94
Lot 25x100, Glenside.

Heckert, Elizabeth 1 78
3 lots 25x100, Woodsdale.

Kauba, Charley 3 58
Lot 25x100, Melwood ave.

Kelly, Nancy M. 1 78
2 lots 25x100.

Kuchler, L. J. 223 27
3 lots 40x50, Grand ave.
2 2-story frame houses, 2 2½-story frame houses, small 2-story washhouse.

Koch, Mathias, et ux. 58 37
Lot 39.9x104, Woods Run ave.
2 2-story frame house.

Koch, Mathias, et ux. 100 16
Lot 25.49, 26.01, 120.75, 112, Woods Run ave.
2-story frame house, apartment.

Kelly, Margaret C. 6 46
Lot 25x83, Cherokee st.

Kelly, Margaret C. 14 05
4 lots 25x120, Valley.

Logan, C. V. 2 94
2 lots 25x70, Woods Run ave.

Miller, Peter 4 89
triangular lot, Evergreen and East st.

Marcus, Emma, wife of Wm. Marcus 4 63
2 lots 25x86, Cherokee st.

McNally, Elizabeth C. and Mary Hughes 1 78
Lot 25x88, Portman st.

McElwain, Mrs. Harriett 5 87
Lot 25x152, Watson blvd.

McMahon, Mary 1 10
Irreg. lot 25x100, Dorsey st.

Page, Thos. 1 15
Lot 193x68, Niagara st.

Schrock, William 38 11
Lot 41x98, Brighton Road.
2-story frame house.
1-story bake shop.

Stone, Wm. M. 34 31
2 lots 25x140, Franklin.
2-story frame house.

Smith, T. F. 1 78
Tri. lot 40x109.92x101.42 Roosevelt.

Stjernvist, Christian 3 76
Irreg. lot 50x42, Tioga st.

Siebold, Mrs. Francis E. (with notice to Mrs. Eliza J. Collins) 3 81
4 lots 25x88, Fortman st.

Smith, Norman H. 18
Lot 44.16x79.92, Woods Run ave.

Tautslauf, Wilhemina 1
Lot 25x80, Central st.
1-story frame house.

Thompson, Mrs. Margaret 9
2 lots 25x120, Melwood ave.
1 lot 25x125, Glenside ave.

Thoro, Charles M. 351
10 acres, Herron and Orleans ave.
2-story brick house, stable and outbuildings.

Wray, J. G. 8
Lot, Dunlap st.
1-story frame house.

Watson, Samuel 1
Lot 24x156.
Lot 24x153.

Watson, Samuel 41
6 lots 25x96.
1 lot 21x96.

Watson, Samuel 62
Lot 51x182.
Lot 128x182.

Watson, Samuel 70
Lot 71x127.
Lot 61x99.
2 lots 50x100.

Watson, Samuel 84
Lot 132x137.
11 lots 50x137.

Weaver, Mary A. (wife of Louis Weaver) 23
Lot 40x71, Smithton ave.
2½-story frame house.

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